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U. S. GUNS BLAST WAY FOR FRENCH SMASH

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napshot of the Explosion of a Huge Shell on the West Front.

Official communique interpreted by photography.

"artillery activity." How often have you noted these words in the official communiques. They are to convey the message that nothing of importance had happened on the front line—just an exchange fire by both sides, with minor results. The photo illustrates what the official communique is supposed to tell. The photo is that of the arrival of a German shell within the Belgian lines, in Flanders.

Count Czernin to Answer Wilson Speech

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 14.—Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, according to a Vienna dispatch, has announced his intention of delivering a long statement to the delegations of the two kingdoms on Saturday concerning the Brest-Litovsk negotiations and President Wilson's latest speech.

The dissolution of the lower house of the Austrian Reichsrath is possible as a result of Polish indignation over the cession of Cholm to Ukraine, according to the Vienna correspondent of the Vossiche Zeitung of Berlin. It appears that the Polish members joined with the Czechs and Slavs to form a coalition of 217 votes against the government, while the German and Ukrainian parties together number only 212. The Socialists, who have been opposed to all war credits, thus hold the balance of power.

Accurate American Barrage Fire Aids Drive on Germans

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

GRAND HEADQUARTERS OF THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Feb. 14.—The American artillery took a brilliant part in an important French raid yesterday between Tahure and the Butte du Mesnil, in the Champagne, participating in the preparatory bombardment and the ensuing barrage fire while the operation was being successfully executed. The action was extremely interesting and the result most satisfactory. The assaulting troops brought back 160 prisoners and they established themselves in German positions to a depth of three-quarters of a mile along a front of nearly a mile.

The task of the assaulting forces was to attack and take a German salient dipping into the French position. It was a difficult operation, owing to the nature of the ground, which formed a basin-like depression, into which the Germans could pour the fire of their concentrated guns on the surrounding heights.

The artillery preparation lasted six hours and, with the aid of aviators, it was ascertained that the enemy's defensive positions, which were remarkably strong, had been broken up to a large extent. At 4:15 in the afternoon the order was given to the infantry units to go over the top. Every man had been instructed fully regarding the objectives to be attained.

Just before this, a steady fine rain began to make the chalky earth like a skating rink. The troops, however, advanced with determination, although they were obliged occasionally to arrest their progress, owing to machine gun positions having escaped the attention of the French and American gunners.

With the help of the courageous grenadiers these positions were stormed and destroyed and their occupants were either killed or captured. By 5:15 o'clock rockets announced that all the objectives had been gained.

The American gunners, with their French comrades, extended their range, putting up an effective barrage to prevent counter-attacks, which, however, did not come, the Germans having been completely disconcerted.

SHOOTS MAN AT WIFE'S FEET

FORCED INTO AN AUTO DOCTOR DECLARES HE SLEW IN SELF DEFENSE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LAKE CHARLES (La.) Feb. 14.—James G. Hamilton, secretary and office manager of the Independent Naval Stores Company, was shot and instantly killed beside his auto near here Wednesday night by Dr. T. H. Watkins. Mrs. Hamilton, wife of the victim and cause of the tragedy, was in the car at the time and a witness of the killing of her husband.

According to Dr. Watkins, he shot Hamilton while the latter, at the point of a pistol, was taking him to an obscure part of the country, to kill him, he thought.

Dr. Watkins, released on $10,000 bond on a charge of manslaughter, told a sensational story of the tragedy today.

He said that he had driven home in his own car last night, had put it up in his garage and was preparing to enter his house when Hamilton confronted him, gun in hand and leveled at his face.

He was forced into the car, in which Mrs. Hamilton was seated. With one hand holding the gun and the other on the wheel, Hamilton, according to Dr. Watkins, drove the car a mile and a half east of town, turned into a side road and then ran into an obscure lane. On the way they passed two cars, but Hamilton threatened the doctor with instant death if he attempted to cry out for help.

Having run a short distance down the lane, Hamilton stopped the car and proceeded to get out. As he did so, Dr. Watkins says he quickly drew his own pistol and fired into Hamilton's head, the bullet entering just behind the right ear. The ball passed through the skull and Hamilton fell dead.

On the thrilling ride from the city Dr. Watkins says he asked Hamilton what he intended to do. Hamilton answered that would be decided when they reached their destination.

The doctor said he could have killed Hamilton during the ride, but did not decide on this course until he was convinced that further delay meant his own death at Hamilton's hands. The trouble between the two men was of long standing and is said to have grown out of surgical attendance on Mrs. Hamilton by Dr. Watkins. Hamilton is said to have taken offense at an alleged defect in the treatment given Mrs. Hamilton some months ago and to have brooded over the matter.

Mrs. Hamilton has made no statement of the sensational affair. It is expected, however, she will be a witness before the Coroner's jury which Dr. W. L. Fisher, Coroner, will summon.

ARMY RECRUITS GO OVER THE TOP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMP LEWIS (Wash.) Feb. 14.—Approximately two hundred National Army soldiers at Camp Lewis went over the top this afternoon protected by barrage fire and storming the "German" line with hand grenades, machine gun and rifle fire.

The exhibition was reviewed by Brig.-Gen. Frederick S. Foltz, commander of the Ninety-first Division; Brig.-Gen. Eli A. Helmick of the inspector-general's department, Brig.-Gen. Edward Burr and Brig.-Gen. Henry D. Styer, their staffs and a large audience of officers and men.

While the barrage fire was at its height and the bombs were bursting around the "enemy" trenches and "shell holes" a lone automobile, traveling across the prairie, drove into the fire of "No Man's Land" and halted the attack temporarily, but the men soon went on and "captured" the German line and wood to the accompaniment of cheers.

Soldiers stationed at Camp Lewis have been forbidden to patronize one hundred restaurants, soft drink establishments, barber and manicure shop in Tacoma which were placed on the blacklist today by Col. W. M. Magruder, United States Public Health Service. Military police have a list of the places and men stationed near by to see that the orders are complied with. Failure of soft-drink parlors to wash glasses with hot water and lack of sanitation have been the principal reasons for closing these places to soldiers.

Also, Poor Bolo, Hearst Knew Him Well!

URT-MARTIAL SEALS FATE OF BOLO PASHA.

panion, Under Arrest in Italy, Must Also Pay Extreme Penalty. Hearst is Mentioned.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

Feb. 14.—Bolo Pasha was easily discernible Bolo Pasha's fate was sealed.

ed to death. The court-martial which condemned to death, deliberated for minutes.

Porchere, an accountant co-defendant, was sentenced years' imprisonment.

Cavallinie, another defendant is under arrest in Italy, ed to death, although within the court's jurisdiction.

from the United ed to be the strongest prosecutor, and on it he ed. M. Morned rebuked brother of the accused suggesting that the Americ was manufactured and Oscar Bernstorff, former bassador to the United Adolph Pavenstedt, once American banking house York, and who is now in an internment camp; Gottlieb former German Foreign Schmidt, former New York of the Deutsche bank, is interned in the Senator Charles Hum- William Randolph Hearst, publisher, were mentioned by the prosecutor ut both he avoided any mention of Joseph Caillaux, former Prime Minister.

the slightest tremor Bolo Voyer, president of the pronounce sentence him amid impressive courtroom. Merely ed his head and shrugging his as if to say it was hope- ght against the odds, Bolo to his cell.

the soldiers with fixed those who had assembled refrained from all but the crowds out- uttered a ter- and shouts of approval as sentence reached them, the favor which the ed found among the

the news of the coming Bolo Pasha spread the city. Col. Voyer had finished reading the sen- cheers of the multi- outside drowned his voice. court-martial was unanimous Bolo. It stood 4 to against the convic- Porchere, but finally com- 6 to 1 on conviction on commerce with the ring a lighter sentence. deliberated only a few and so they filed out it was

make the best terms possible with her as soon as they could be arranged.

It had been charged that Germany, in attempting to bribe French statesmen and leaders and to influence French opinion by subsidizing newspapers in France or founding new publications to disseminate the spirit of pacifism or defeat, devoted a sum of money in the neighborhood of 10,000,000 marks. Bolo, himself, was said to have had the use of a fund of more than $1,500,000 to be used in attempting to corrupt the French press.

Darius Porchere, a co-defendant with Bolo Pasha, who was sentenced to three years' imprisonment, is a business agent who was charged with receiving correspondence relating to the affair as an intermediary of Bolo Pasha.

Filippo Cavallinie, who was judged by default and sentenced to death, is a former member of the Italian Chamber of Deputies. He was charged with having introduced Bolo Pasha and Abbas Hilmi, the former Khedive of Egypt, and with having facilitated the negotiations.

Capt. Mornet acted as prosecuting attorney for the military authorities. Bolo Pasha was defended by Maitre Albert Salles, a member of the Council of the Order of Advocates, while Marcel Heraud appeared for Porchere.

The files in the case contained no less than 4000 separate documents, some of which, including the American report and the report of M. Boyen, an expert accountant, were of several hundred pages each.

Bolo Pasha's activities were of peculiar interest to Americans because it was charged that of the funds at his disposal $1,685,000 was transferred from the Deutsche Bank in Berlin to France by way of New York. It was as a result of this discovery of his manipulation of this fund through five New York banking houses that the New York State Attorney-General was able to obtain information which was forwarded to M. Jusserand, the French Ambassador, at Washington, and which brought about Bolo's arrest in Paris.

STEPHENS IS OUT FOR GOVERNORSHIP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 14—Gov. William D. Stephens's candidacy for the office of Chief Executive of California in the coming election was informally announced at a meeting held in this city at the Elks Club tonight. The meeting was called by Senator K. M. Inman for the purpose of forming a "Stephens for Governor" club and formulating plans for expediting the combination which will begin immediately. It is understood that the work will be organized in all the principal cities of the State in the near future.

DRIVE AGAINST BOLSHEVIKI.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The Bund of Berne reports the successful conclusion of negotiations at Ekaterinoslav to form a union of all southwestern republics against the Bolsheviki. It also was agreed to form a joint army to clear South Russia of Bolsheviki troops.

LATEST SPORTING NEWS

Berry's Boys.

SEALS SELECT FRESNO FOR SPRING TRAINING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—The Seals will train at Fresno next month. They will arrive in the Raisin City either March 3 or 4, and play the Sunmaids the following Saturday. The next day, Sunday, they will play a picked team. The Seals will stay in Fresno until March 25.

Jerry Downs will take twenty-five men to Fresno and train them hard for three weeks. He plans to have the team back in San Francisco March 26, and take things easy from that time until the opening day of the season.

In case the Seals change owners in the meantime, they will train at Fresno, just the same.

As they will have to play real games right off the reel, the Seals cannot loaf on the job of training, and those who may have fat to take off had better get busy right away, their chief says.

The Sunmaids are to play the Chicago Cubs April 2, and it is written in the contract that Alexander is to pitch for the Cubs. For that game the Fresno team will strengthen by getting a high-class pitcher and some other players, in order to make a regular ball game of it.

Last year a whale of a crowd turned out to see the Fresno team whip the Cubs, and it is expected there will be another big turn out this year. Dutch Leonard pitched for Fresno, his home town, last year, but as he is in the navy now, he not available, so "Speed" Martin may get a chance to try to baffle the big leaguers.

QUINTETTES BATTLE IN FAST PLAY-OFFS.

Coming with a burst of speed in the second half San Bernardino last night battled its way into the Southern California basketball finals by beating Fullerton, 32 to 31. The game was played at the Orange Athletic Club.

The Gate City boys were outclassed in the opening period, as Fullerton was leading by 24 to 15 when the first half ended. San Bernardino then jumped its pace and by great accuracy in throwing goals from fouls forged ahead. Capt. Dean, usually the star of the Fullerton aggregation, got out of a sick bed to play, and naturally was not up to his usual form.

Glendale Union High School, winner of the Central League basketball championship, and Burbank High School, winner of the Valley League, played at Glendale in their scheduled game in the play-off, Glendale winning by a score of 42 to 18.

The Hollywood-El Monte contest was won by Hollywood, 50 to 9.

TWO GENERALS IN LINE-UP FOR POLO.

[S. DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14. — Two generals will take part in a polo game next Sunday on the Coronado field. Gen. A. M. Tuthill, commanding the Seventy-ninth Brigade of the Fortieth Army Division, and his brother officer, Gen. Leroy Lyon, who heads the artillery brigade (the Sixty-fifth) at Camp Kearny, will play on opposing sides.

Gen. Tuthill, rated an excellent polo player, will make his debut on the Coronado field. Gen. Lyon has played in most of the matches this season.

Gen. Tuthill's team includes Lieut. Harry Hastings of the Grizzlies, Lieut. R. G. Ervin of the Twenty-first Infantry and Lieut. Cusack. With Gen. Lyon's team will be Capt. R. A. Banon of the British army, serving as instructor at Camp Kearny; Maj. Colin G. Ross and Lieuts. Ormsby and McCreary.

The Weather.

SHOWERS COMING SOUTH; HERE TODAY, PROSPECT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Showers continued to fall throughout Northern California last night and early this morning, the wetting this time extending as far south as Fresno, with a prospect of Southern California receiving showers tomorrow, according to the local weather forecaster.

For the first time this winter a substantial fall of snow is reported in the high mountains, where so much depends upon a large supply for irrigation and electrical purposes next summer. Over two feet of snow has been added to the scant two feet already on the ground at the summit, making the total amount registered tonight four feet, four inches.

Unsettled weather is predicted for Northern California tomorrow.

Today's figures follow: Eureka, last twenty-four hours, .52; last seasonal to date, 14.37. Red Bluff, .02; 4.67. Sacramento, .04; 3.24. San Francisco, .47; 4.39. San Jose, .18; 2.44. Fresno, .02; .95.

WILD RUSSIANS REVEL IN LIFE OF CRIME.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 14.—More than a thousand Russian soldiers still remain on the Aland Islands and constitute a wild band which obeys no law but selfishness. Their few remaining officers are compelled to sweep the barracks, clean the horses and do other menial labor, while the soldiers live by plundering the defenseless inhabitants.

An appeal for help against their depredations was brought to Sweden by Aland Islanders, who reached the Swedish coast in a rowboat after a night's trip through the ice-filled sea. An expedition to rescue the Swedish residents on the islands will start as soon as possible.

News from Finland indicates that a big engagement may be expected shortly in and around Tammerfors, toward which the troops of Gen. Mannerheim, commander of the government forces, are steadily proceeding.

HIGH EARNINGS OF SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Annual report of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company for the year ending December 31, made public tonight, showed that the company earned 17 per cent. on its outstanding stock. High records on both gross and net earnings were made during 1917, the former being more than $320,000,000 in excess of the year previous and the latter almost $11,000,000 greater.

Comment.

LEADING GERMAN EDITORS AGREE WITH WILSON.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 14.—Of the strength of an unconquered America and add weight to its voice in the concert of nations.

German newspapers, the Berlin Tageblatt, the Vossische Zeitung, Vorwaerts, the Lokal Anzeiger, the Frankfurter Zeitung, the Kolnische Zeitung, and the Weser Zeitung of Bremen, have printed President Wilson's address in full. The Kolnische Volks Zeitung, the Rheinische Wastfalische Zeitung, and the Dusseldorf Nachrichten have printed abridged versions.

The Kolnische Volks Zeitung addresses to President Wilson a wordy editorial longer than the summary of his speech which it prints. The editorial admits that the President shows an honest endeavor toward peace, but it regrets it is not a just peace. The Frankfurter Zeitung says:

"President Wilson's latest speech is not a war-like speech. It is more than its predecessors, namely, a speech striving to work in the interests of peace. The sole aim of its warlike phrases is to emphasize the principles summed up by President Wilson under four heads are so vague that hardly any power need oppose them, but the speeches of Lloyd George and Asquith have revealed anew that the Entente itself is still unable to find the courage for a peace by compromise agreement. The view of peace by understanding, as expressed by Mr. Wilson, is even today shared by the Reichstag majority, which today would be still stronger in its attitude, if not only President Wilson, but the other Entente statesmen, would also show their practical readiness for such a peace.

"If Mr. Wilson is able to bring to bear his influence in this direction, he should do so immediately. The less time lost in ending this terrible war, the justification for which is long since out of date, the better it will be for the present and future generations."

The industrial organs of Western

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Money.

NEARLY EIGHT BILLIONS ASKED FOR ARMY NEEDS.

Secretary Baker Gives Confidential Testimony Before House Committee on Money Required.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Secretary Baker before the House Military Committee today discussed the pending army appropriation bill in executive session.

The Secretary's testimony was described as being of a highly confidential character.

Secretary Baker elaborated his Senate Committee testimony with more detail. He did not indicate finally what the military programme as to numbers of men for the coming fiscal year would be; estimates before the committee which form the basis for the pending bill, contemplate 1,600,000 officers and men altogether, with a base appropriation approximating $7,700,000,000.

So far the Secretary has not indicated just what change in these figures should be made and he advised the committee not to finally report the bill. It was decided how many men should be embraced in the coming year's programme.

ITEMS.

Principal items for the army in the billion dollars urgent deficiency appropriation bill favorably reported to the House today, include $277,732,000 for bombs and airplanes, $100,000,000 for quartermaster storage plants on the seacoast and at interior points and $51,000,000 for mountain, field, siege and other artillery in addition to the billion dollars already spent for ordnance and contract authorizations for $579,000,000 additional.

In asking for an appropriation of $100,000,000 for storage and shipping facilities with an authorization of $50,000,000 more, Maj.-Gen. Goethals, acting quartermaster-general, disclosed that it is proposed to spend from $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 enlarging the Bush terminals at Brooklyn. New storage plants at Atlantic Coast points will cost $40,000,000 and interior plants, the location of which were not given, will cost $50,000,000.

The bill also reveals that the army medical corps contemplates an aggregate of 1,000,000 square feet for its storehouses at New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco, Louisville, Washington, Watertown, San Antonio and Atlanta. The ordnance department contemplates storage at Newport News, Charleston, Baltimore, Chicago, Philadelphia, Paterson, Watertown, Springfield, Ill.; Cleveland; Springfield, Mass.; Rock Island, San Francisco and Boston, with storage for explosives on Raritan River, New Jersey. The signal corps wants storage at Dayton, Cincinnati, Buffalo, and Mineola.

The report of the Appropriations Committee discloses an agreement between the United States and French governments for France to take over after the war the railroad system which the United States Army is constructing in France.

The War Department has expended $150,000,000 for materials for this system.

In discussing before the committee the work of the engineer corps, Maj.-Gen. Black, Chief of Engineers, said construction of the ports of debarkation in France is going forward as rapidly as the trans-shipment will permit, but "not as rapidly as he would like."

In asking $5,515,000 for the Food Administration, Food Administrator Hoover told the committee that his administration is directing the purchase of $160,000,000 worth of foodstuffs a month for the Allies alone, besides its work for home conservation and holding down domestic prices.

Although the Navy Department asked for $3,140,000 for improvement and equipment of navy yards for ship construction, the bill allows only $1,570,000 in addition to $13,000,000 heretofore appropriated for that purpose. A total of half a billion was eliminated from the recommendations of the various departments so as to confine the appropriations to immediate needs.

Maj.-Gen. Squier, chief signal officer, testified the Signal Corps had spent or obligated all the $640,000,000 appropriated to carry out its airplane programme and has incurred obligations that will equal $90,000,000 in addition, and may go beyond that for the present fiscal year. He asked $277,732,000 to procure bombs for the airplanes.

Discussing storage and shipping facilities, Gen. Goethals said approximately $100,000,000 with authorization of $50,000,000 more, is needed for storage of quartermaster supplies along the seacoast, including huge amounts for various specific terminals.

Hindsight.

FAILURE TO PROVIDE MACHINE GUNS TO ARMY.

Unpreparedness of the War Department Analyzed and Condemned.

BY JOSEPH H. ODELL,
Special Correspondent of "The Outlook."

IN THIS war 90 per cent of all casualties in battle are caused by machine-gun and artillery fire, and at least 60 per cent. of this 90 per cent. are the result of machine-gun fire.

In April, 1917, our army had approximately 900 machine guns firing American ammunition. The great majority of these guns were of the Benet-Mercier type, which had been found ineffective in the hands of the troops and had been officially withdrawn from service some months previously. Among them also were a number of the heavier Maxim and Vickers water-cooled type, some of which had been in service many years. In addition, the army had 283 Lewis guns of the British model firing British ammunition, which had been purchased during the Mexican trouble the previous summer when the Benet-Mercier guns had failed to function.

In April, 1917, the Lewis gun, invented by an American army officer, was in daily use on practically every battlefield in Europe—to the number of 60,000 guns or more. Whatsoever victories came to British, French or Italian arms came largely because this American gun spat death along more than a thousand miles of trenches. No one, to my knowledge, has yet produced a British, French or Italian commissioned or noncommissioned officer or enlisted man who has faced the onslaught of the Teutonic armies who has anything but praise for the Lewis gun.

In April, 1917, the Savage Arms Company of Utica, N. Y., was manufacturing and delivering to the British government eighty Lewis guns per day, or 2000 a month. If the Savage Arms Company had been producing machine guns for our own army at that rate, on the British model, we should now have 18,000 in the hands of our men at the front. This would be fighting equipment for 400,000 men.

It has been objected officially that the Lewis gun in April, 1917, was adapted to British ammunition. This is true; but the Germans killed by British ammunition fired from an American gun are still dead, and the British soldiers saved from defeat and death by British ammunition fired from an American gun are still alive—very much alive. And, unless logic has utterly failed me, we can win the war only by killing Germans. Americans want to win the war, and it would be quite as satisfactory to them to win by shooting British ammunition from an American gun as to win by shooting French ammunition from a borrowed French gun—the gun we shall have to use if the scrap envelops us within the next six months or so.

If the War Department had insisted in April, 1917, upon the Savage Arms Company making the Lewis gun adapted to American ammunition—which the Lewis gun was originally designed to shoot—the Savage Arms Company could have made the necessary changes in model in about three months, and then could have turned out the Lewis gun at the rate of 100 per day, which would have equipped our army by now with at least 17,500 guns. And, under speeding-up pressure and with the same encouragement and aid given to the Savage Arms Company as the government has given to other concerns making machine guns, the capacity could have been increased by now to at least 300 per day, or 5000 per month.

Instead of following this obvious line, instead of accepting the most deadly machine gun now in the hands of our allies, what did the War Department do in April, 1917? It decided to wait for the report of a machine gun board on tests of machine guns to be made the following month. One clear month lost! A month! The German army had raped and ravished and ruined Belgium in a month! And then, after the precious month had gone, notwithstanding the favorable report made upon the Lewis gun—which had fired American ammunition in the tests—it was decided to equip our National Army exclusively with a new and untried type of machine gun—the Browning—only one single complete sample of that new gun being then in existence.

The result? In January, 1918, nine months after America became officially involved in the war, there are now just nine Browning hand-made guns in existence for the equipment of the thirty-two divisions which Mr. Baker has testified are ready to go to France.

Nine months! Nine guns!

One gun per month, and 1,500,000 men under the Stars and Stripes, with hearts aflame to save democracy from the fangs of autocracy!

Nine Browning guns when there might have been 17,500 Lewis guns—the guns which beat back the Huns at Loos, Ypres, Neuve Chapelle, Cambrai and along the Somme; the gun which cleared the desert from Kut to Bagdad, and the guns which broke the hold of the Turk upon the environs of Jerusalem!

Nine Browning guns which have never seen actual service, when there might have been 17,500 of the Lewis guns which have saved civilization upon a score of bloody battlefields in three continents?

Nine Browning guns, which have already cost the government, according to the testimony of Gen. Crozier, $1,250,000 as a lump royalty to the inventor, Browning, when there might have been 17,500 Lewis guns upon which the inventor, Col. Lewis, has patriotically offered to turn over all his royalties to the United States government!

Is there not something radically and profoundly wrong in the situation? The government was reluctant concerning the Lewis gun, but was manifestly hasty in making contracts and payments for the Browning gun—the gun of the one sample, the gun that managed to multiply itself by nine in nine of the most fearful and fateful months of human history. Not only did the government pay Browning $1,250,000 for his royalty rights, but the government also paid the Colt Patent Firearms Company of Hartford, Ct., $1,000,000 for its share of the Browning royalty rights. According to Gen. Croziers testimony before the Senate Military Committee, these payments were approved by the Secretary of War and the Chief of Ordnance even before patents had been issued on the Browning gun.

Notwithstanding the official rejection of the Hotchkiss gun (the Benet-Mercier) after thorough trial by our troops in the field, these same troops are now being armed with these same Hotchkiss guns in France. For the American Benet-Mercier gun is practically the same weapon as the French Hotchkiss, which we are now borrowing from the French government to arm our regular and National guard troops already in France.

There is a very pertinent and perhaps prophetic parallel between the adoption of the Benet-Mercier gun and the adoption of the Browning gun. The Benet-Mercier machine gun was adopted, after tests, in 1908. Those tests, however, were armory tests, but in no sense service-fired tests. That is, according to Gen. Crozier's report, as Chief of Ordnance for the year ending June 30, 1909 (page 39,) the Benet-Mercier gun was formally adopted after tests at Springfield armory and the school of musketry. But how did the Benet-Mercier machine gun act in its first test of war? This real test—the only test which is worth consideration—did not occur until our Mexican border trouble in 1916, eight years after its adoption as our service weapon. The Benet-Mercier gun at that time failed utterly, and, thank God, our American boys were up against Villa and not Hindenburg!

And then, in spite of the armory tests and in spite of the fact that the gun bore the name of and probably carried royalties to Mr. A. B. Benet, the son of a former Chief of Ordnance of the United States, it has to be withdrawn from service. Curiously, it is reported that Mr. Benet, whose gun was rejected after the Villa raid, is the managing director of the Hotchkiss company in France.

It is the duty of Secretary Baker to give the country fully, frankly and without reserve all the facts concerning the machine-gun situation. This he has not done at this writing.

The Browning machine gun has had armory tests, too. As a weapon of war it has met the same standard as that met by the Benet-Mercier gun, which so disastrously failed us on the Mexican border. But after we have been fooled and punished for adopting one gun on armory tests alone, by what canon of reason or rule of logic should we commit ourselves to another machine gun which has had nothing but armory tests?

Must experience teach every one in the world except our ordnance department?

Here is the solemn, awful, final fact: The Browning gun has not sprayed lead on an advancing foe. It is as innocent of experience as a new-born babe, and our government has petted that innocency to the tune of $2,250,000 already.

The Browning gun is an adventure in sublime theory and sweet credulity. When it has come to years, come to maturity through experience, it may be all right and a giant in might; but we are going to stake 1,000,000 or more American lives on the possibility. What do the parents, wives, brothers, sisters and sweethearts think of the speculation?

This is the first time in the history of the world that a great power, called to exert its utmost of resources for its own material and spiritual preservation, has decided, in the midst of the struggle, to arm its men with a weapon which has not had actual field tests in the hands of soldiers.

WILSON APPROVAL ON ZINC AGREEMENT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—President Wilson today approved an agreement reached by the war industries board and the producers of grade A zinc, fixing a maximum price of 12 cents a pound f.o.b East St. Louis, subject to revision June 1.

A maximum price of 14 cents a pound for plate zinc f.o.b at plants and 15 cents per pound for sheet zinc f.o.b. at plants was fixed subject to the usual trade discount.

The following conditions were laid down:

First, that the producers of grade A plate and sheet zinc will not reduce the present wages.

Second, that the Allies, the public and the government will be sold zinc at the same prices.

Third, that they will take necessary measures to prevent zinc from falling into the hands of speculators who might increase the price to the public.

Fourth, that they exert every effort to keep up the production so as to assure an adequate supply during the war.

FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT DIRECTORS SELECTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Appointment of Federal directors of employment in several States was announced tonight by the Department of Labor in a statement outlining plans of the Federal employment service for welding all Federal, State and municipal employment facilities into a national system of labor exchanges.

The new appointments, made with the approval of the Department of Labor upon the joint recommendation of the State Councils of Defense and organized capital and labor in the various States include: Arizona, Thomas J. Croaff, Phoenix.

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"THE TIMES" DAY BY DAY CIRCULATION GAINS.

Gains, gains, gains from all over the Southland are added to The Times' circulation week after week, for daily and Sunday. Following are the latest day-by-day figures as compared with last year:

				Gain.
February 8, 1917..	65,815	February 7, 1918..	85,795	19,980
February 9, 1917..	65,804	February 8, 1918..	76,494	10,690
February 10, 1917..	64,127	February 9, 1918..	75,953	9,826
February 11, 1917..	112,560	February 10, 1918..	126,500	13,940
February 12, 1917..	65,645	February 11, 1918..	75,749	10,104
February 13, 1917..	65,390	February 12, 1918..	75,829	9,449
February 14, 1917..	65,897	February 13, 1918..	75,508	9,611

Union Demands.

SHIP MEN ON STRIKE.

Work on the Fleet Menaced.

Carpenters on Atlantic Seaboard Demand Wage Increase.

Paralyzing Life Line to Western Front, is Rebuke to Union.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The number of ship carpenters on strike for higher wages in two yards on Staten Island where ships for the United States government are under construction increased today to about 450, and representatives of the men said the strike would assume greater proportions within twenty-four hours, unless the government intervenes.

According to reports received by A. E. Wilkie, assistant directing officer for the Emergency Fleet Corporation here, the men who are now getting $4.80 for eight hours' work are demanding an increased scale with extra pay for overtime and Sunday. The men claim they are entitled to $6.60, the same as paid on the Pacific Coast.

"The strike so far has been confined to carpenters in two shipyards," Mr. Wilkie said, "and we believe it will be settled shortly. The settlement, however, will no doubt be made in Washington, where the strikers have sent their representatives. Work on ships so far has not been hampered or delayed by the strike."

URGENT CALL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—An urgent call to striking carpenters and joiners in eastern shipyards to return to work was issued tonight by Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board, who sent a telegram to union heads declaring mothers and fathers giving their sons to battle will not long permit continued interference with the shipbuilding programme.

The telegram was inspired by reports of strikes at yards in the vicinity of New York and at Baltimore, where the men are demanding the wage scale recently granted for the Pacific Coast, of $6.60 a day. It went to W. L. Hutcheson, general president of the carpenters at Indianapolis, and to union leaders in the district in which strikes have been called.

Mr. Hurley insisted that the men go to work pending an adjustment of their grievances by the wage adjustment board, which, within a few days will recommend a general wage scale for 75 per cent. of the yards on the Atlantic Coast.

The message in full reads:

"While the people of this country are mourning the loss of the brave young Americans in the Tuscania horror—while thousands of American homes are anxiously watching the lists of survivors slowly coming in to make certain that another precious life has been snatched from the Atlantic Ocean, a telegram comes—and with it the grim announcement that the carpenters in shipyards are now on strike.

"Before any government agency is given an opportunity to act, and despite the good record of our adjustment board's promptness and fairness in dealing with all labor matters, you attempt to paralyze the shipbuilding industry at the port of New York.

"Do you realize that you are adding to the fearful danger our soldiers already face, the danger of starvation and the danger of slaughter if food and ammunition are not sent over in ships and in many ships at once? Do you think the fathers and mothers whose sons are making this sacrifice will sit patiently by and permit this paralyzing of the life line between us and the western front, to go on?

"Will you take my friendly suggestion and go back to work at once? The machinery for dealing with all your demands and with the right of labor is at hand. You will be well advised to follow the methods of well-managed and patriotic labor organizations, at least until you have tested whether or not your government, for which, as shipbuilders, you are now working, can be fair.

"I advise you to end the paralyzing of the shipyard work now. I am sure you would not deliberately imperil the lives and safety of our brave fellow citizens. I am sure you believe with me that those whose sons are now giving their blood, that you and I and our children may be safe and free, will not long permit either you or me to invite destruction of heroic lives and disaster to the great world cause."

STRIKE AT BALTIMORE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE, Feb. 14.—That the strike today of some 700 carpenters and joiners employed in the Sparrows Point yards of the Bethlehem Steel Company, the Baltimore Dry Docks Shipbuilding Company, and several smaller yards, would not bring about similar action by the other trades in the shipbuilding industry here was the belief of members of the Atlantic Coast Shipbuilders' Association, who met tonight.

UKRAINIAN RADA'S MEETINGS REMOVED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 14.—Vienna newspapers report that the Ukrainian Rada has removed its meetings to Zhitomir (capital of the Province of Volhynia, eighty miles southwest of Kiev,) and has established direct communication with the Central Powers.

DISCUSS HOW TO ADD TO OIL PDODUCTION.

REPRESENTATIVES OF OPERATORS MEET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Representatives of mining companies and oil operators throughout California met here today in the State Mining Bureau in the Ferry Building to discuss methods for co-operation between the State and the companies to relieve the threatened oil shortage and increase production. The meeting was called by Fletcher Hamilton, State Mineralogist, and R. F. McLaughlin, State Oil and Gas Supervisor.

"Although the total production was greater last year than the year before," McLaughlin said, "California for the last two years has been consuming each month a million barrels of oil more than it produces, and at that rate it will not be long before we are down to bedrock.

"This has been caused by the poor management and engineering of the oil fields. Engineering work, scientifically managed, is absolutely necessary to California mining operations at the present time, and officials and engineers of the different companies should co-operate with each other and other companies to obtain the best results.

"The mining laws of California are such that all mining operations here are under the State laws, and we want all companies, large and small, to fall into line with us. In the past the larger companies have been managed no better than some of the small ones, and all alike must see the responsibilities of co-operation with the State. A wartime measure is needed, and if our plans are adhered to there is no reason why production should not be increased and expenses cut."

T. A. Rickard, editor of the Mining and Scientific Press, addressed the meeting on scientific methods of mining, and several engineers of the different companies also spoke.

About thirty representatives were present, and further meetings will be held whenever stricter methods are needed to increase production and proper working of the oil fields. Among those present were F. W. Hilman, vice-president, Standard Oil Company; R. P. Schwerin, Associated Oil Company; Allard d'Heur, Southern Pacific Oil Company; B. H. Van der Linden, Shell company; Chester Brown, Union Oil Compa John Barneson, General Petroleum Company; Ben Scott, Columbia Oil Producing Company; M. H. Whittier, Bellridge Oil Company; R. B. Moran, consulting engineer, and engineers in employ of various companies.

PACKERS CRITICISED BY UNION ORGANIZER.

NEGRO WOMEN REPLACE HIGHER PAID MEN IN PLANTS, HE DECLARES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Timothy A. McCreash of Kansas City, an organizer for the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers' Union since last June and previously employed by the large packers in various cities, criticised the stockyards firms for their opposition to organized labor and described conditions he had found in the plants, in testifying today before Federal Judge Samuel Alschuler in the wage arbitration.

He urged the adoption of an eight-hour working day and equal pay for men and women performing the same service.

The witness said he had been a packing-house butcher twenty-three years, but since 1904 the packers had refused to give him steady employment because of his activity in the labor movement. He said hundreds of union men had been similarly discriminated against. He said he had organized the skilled workers in the packing plants at Kansas City, Kan., Sioux City, Iowa, Denver, and St. Joseph, Mo., but declared that the packers had declined to deal with union officials.

The witness said that in the past two years the packers in Sioux City and Kansas City, Kan., had supplanted men with women in hundreds of positions. The women employed in most instances, he said, are negroes and are receiving 20 and 22 cents an hour, while the men who formerly did the work received 26 and 27½ cents an hour. The women, he said, were employed as meat trimmers and in certain sections of the killing department. He ridiculed the welfare work done in the packing plants.

In 1904, the butchers had a rule, he said, that the skinning of fifteen carcasses constituted a day's work. Now, he declared, packers required their men to skin twenty to twenty-five carcasses a day. He considered the skinning of fifteen animals a fair day's work.

"To get more work out of the men, the packers have a system of employing a few pace makers, or rushers as they are called, in each department, who do more work than the others to speed up the gang," said the witness. "They receive a few dollars more a week than the rest. When the war broke out and the packers were prohibited from getting men from Central Europe, they went South and started bringing negroes up north to work in their plants."

TENNESSEE COAL MEN UNDER INDICTMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KNOXVILLE (Tenn.) Feb. 14.—The Federal grand jury here today returned twenty-three indictments against forty-seven defendants, including coal operators, coal dealers and coal brokers of the East Tennessee field, charging violation of the food control bill.

Air Fatalities.

TWO AVIATORS KILLED DURING TEXAS FLIGHTS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

HOUSTON (Tex.) Feb. 14.—Donald W. Gleason of Delphi, N. Y., aviation cadet, was killed today when the airplane in which he was making a cross-country flight from Ellington Field dropped into a tail spin and fell to earth near Texas City.

FATALITY IN TEXAS.

FORT WORTH (Tex.) Feb. 14.—Aviator Cadet Clifford N. Murray, Royal Flying Corps Squadron, of Welshshire, Eng., was killed at Benbrook Field here today when his machine fell.

THE DAILY HERO.

Brave Deeds of Men in America's Fighting Service.

Hanging by his feet from the edge of the deck and stretching his arms to two struggling men in a terrific sea, an officer of the United States Navy made a heroic rescue during the fierce gale which swept the coast early in December. In the midst of a northeast gale which had the ship almost on her side, a quartermaster was washed overboard while trying to clear the steering gear. The sea was running mad and he soon become exhausted. Tying a line about his waist the ship's cook jumped overboard and succeeded in getting the man to the side of the ship. It was then that Lieut. Richard L. Connolly, U.S.N., swung himself over the rail and catching his feet to the edge let himself head down to the struggling men. One grasped his outstretched hands and he drew them up until they were pulled aboard. Connelly is from Waukegan, Ill., where his mother, Mrs. Cora C. Connolly, lives at No. 481 Sheridan road.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Drop in Temperature Checks Thaws in Middle West and Prevents Floods—Warm in New York.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—A drop in the temperature to below the freezing point tonight in the Central West and on the Atlantic seaboard put a check on the thaw and probably saved disastrous flood conditions. Springlike temperatures prevailed over the country for the most part.

In New York, the mercury went to 50 deg. above and in the northern tier of the Central Western States the range was from 40 to 60. In the middle of the day there were intermittent showers.

Temperatures generally yesterday, as reported by the United States Weather Bureau in Los Angeles, were as follows:

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	68	34	Pocatello	42	22
Boise	38	28	Portland, Or.	52	32
Bismarck	26	12	Rapid City	44	24
Boston	42	30	Red Bluff	54	44
Buffalo	36	26	Reno	46	22
Corpus Christi	72	52	Roseburg	48	32
Denver	52	26	Sacramento	62	40
Des Moines	32	22	Riverside	66	40
Dodge City	50	26	Salt Lake City	40	24
Escanaba	30	24	St. Louis	44	30
Eureka	52	46	St. Paul	30	20
Flagstaff	46	20	San Antonio	66	46
Fresno	62	42	Salt Lake City	38	24
Galveston	66	54	Santa Barbara	66	46
Havre	30	6	San Bernardino	64	36
Helena	34	12	San Diego	66	50
Juneau	42	32	San Francisco	58	46
Independence	70	34	San Francisco	58	46
Kamloops	36	18	Lake Ohipee	52	32
Kansas City	44	30	Seattle	52	32
Knoxville	72	44	Spokane	40	24
Los Angeles	74	46	Tacoma	46	32
Modena	46	22	Tampa	74	52
Medicine Hat	30	6	Toledo	44	30
Modena	46	22	Toledo	44	30
New Orleans	74	52	Tonopah	46	22
New York	44	34	Washington	50	36
North Head	54	34	Winnemucca	52	22
Oklahoma	62	32	Winnipeg	30	6
Phoenix	72	44	Yuma	74	52
Pierre	34	14			
Pittsburgh	44	34			

*Previous day. —Below zero.

PAY INCREASE URGED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Indicating approval of rural carriers' salary increases where the service warrants it, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Blakeslee urged the Senate Postoffice Committee today to take into consideration time, mileage and amount of mail handled in arriving at a basis of pay. The present system of basing pay on mileage only, he said, resulted in inequities.

Ghastly Toll.

THIRTY-EIGHT BODIES OF CHILDREN RECOVERED

Heroism of the Nurses Saves All Two Hundred Wounded Soldiers in the Great Building.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MONTREAL, Feb. 14. — The charred bodies of thirty-eight children had been recovered late tonight from the ruins of the Grey Nunnery, which was destroyed by fire tonight. It is feared many more had perished and searchers believed the toll of death might reach 100.

All inmates of the great building except the children are believed to have escaped. They included nuns, nursing sisters, wounded or sick soldiers from overseas, aged, sick or crippled men and women to the number of almost a thousand.

When the flames were discovered in the west wing the alarm was quickly given and all those able to help themselves fled to places of safety. The heroic [illegible] ing sisters strove valiantly [illegible] the sick and wounded as well [illegible] infants under their charge.

The children were housed in [illegible] section of the building where [illegible] fire started and the flames [illegible] quickly it was impossible [illegible] them all.

None of the soldiers was injury, however, although [illegible] of them were quartered in [illegible] ing.

The ages of the [illegible] nunnery ranged from 1 or 2 [illegible] almost 100 years. Many of [illegible] lants who died in the fire [illegible] were only a few days or a [illegible] old.

The elderly inmates were in another section of the [illegible] and were not immediately [illegible] by the flames.

Recrudescence.

RESUMPTION OF WAR BY RUSSIA INDICATED

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ZURICH, Feb. 14.—The Munich (Bavaria) correspondent of the Neue Augsburg Zeitung says he learns that the discussions at Brest-Litovsk last Sunday between Dr. Von Kuehlmann, the German Foreign Secretary; Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, were particularly stormy and ended in a violent rupture which bore all the seeds of a future conflict.

"That is why the conference at German main headquarters is discussing the eventuality of very energetic military measures against the Russians," the correspondent says.

THE EAST FRONT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 14.—The line of demarcation along the eastern front must be maintained, in consequence of the Russians' refusal to sign a peace treaty, a [illegible] patch to the Lokal Anzeiger [illegible] lin says. Turkish troops [illegible] possession of all Turkish [illegible] which hitherto had been [illegible] Russians.

The writer of the [illegible] asserts his information has been received from an authentic source [illegible] to say that [illegible] tenance of a cordon [illegible] sian part of the eastern [illegible] demand a not inconsiderable number of men, the greater [illegible] forces now there, especially [illegible] tillery and technical troops [illegible] free for employment [illegible]

On the southern [illegible] front, the future [illegible] upon the decision of [illegible] says the writer, [illegible] a peaceful solution [illegible] eventual internment of [illegible] Ukraine.

A state of [illegible] east is an important [illegible] tion, the correspondent [illegible] cially on account of [illegible] tween Ukraine and [illegible]

Economic.

NATION'S MANUFACTURERS AGAINST GERMAN BOYCOTT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

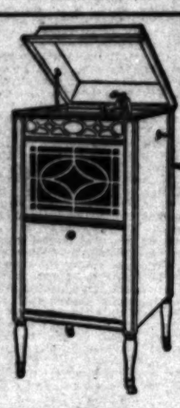
NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The National Association of Manufacturers had dissented to the proposal of a trade boycott on Germany after the war, it was announced tonight. The question was voted on in a referendum submitted to its members by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. The ballot of the association has been forwarded to Washington.

Disapproval of the boycott plan was voiced by the association's board of directors February 8, before the referendum was submitted to the membership. A statement issued tonight by the association explains the vote.

"The economic boycott proposed by the referendum," it said, "is an unwarranted interference in a matter of international relations, the handling of which [illegible] President and Congress. [illegible] tion of a boycott, as [illegible] Paris conference of [illegible] to be at variance with [illegible] of President Wilson [illegible] address to Congress [illegible]

"We are but the [illegible] mankind. We shall [illegible] those rights have been [illegible] cure as the fairest [illegible] the nations can gain [illegible] have no jealousy of [illegible] seas. We do not [illegible] with arms of hostile [illegible] trade if she [illegible] herself with us and [illegible] loving nations, [illegible] covenants of justice [illegible] dealings.

"In view of these facts [illegible] proposed by the Chamber [illegible] merce of the United States [illegible] our opinions fully, but [illegible] meets with our approval."



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PLAN TRADE WITH MEXICO.

Exchange of Foodstuffs is Sought by Envoy.

Negotiations Direct with Carranza to Start.

Mexican Republic's People Now in Actual Want.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Negotiations for a freer interchange of foodstuffs and other products by the United States and Mexico, begun here, are to be concluded at Mexico City. Unable to enter into an agreement with Rafael Nieto, the Mexican Ambassador, will leave this week for Mexico, accompanied by Ambassador Fletcher, to permit President Wilson personally to participate in the conferences.

It is believed at the State Department that since Mexico will be the chief beneficiary of any agreement, Carranza will interpose no serious obstacle in the way of an adjustment of the problems that have grown out of the embargo. With Mr. Fletcher will go George McCarty, a Mexico City banker, who has been in Washington aiding the Food Administration.

Mexico's economic condition is said to have become worse unless a partial lifting of the embargo on foodstuffs and gold is effected. A large part of the Mexican population is reported to be actually in want. Most of the difficulties involved in the agreement have been agreed upon.

The conference over the import of steel to the United States [illegible] resulted in an understanding [illegible] is expected to result in a lower [illegible] on this part of the steel [illegible] duty on Mexican [illegible] tillery and technical [illegible] free for employment [illegible]

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MUST REGISTER EVEN IF HEAVEN IS HOME.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BERKELEY, Feb. 14.—Four members of the Church of the Living God were arrested by the police today for failing to register as enemy aliens and will be turned over to the United States Marshal's office. They declare that they are citizens of heaven and as such are exempt from the material world and all courses of its land and therefore would not register as alien enemies.

The four, who are natives of Germany, are Lewis Winn, No. 1741 Blake street; Joaquin Rivera, No. 2021 Dana street; Erik Kouter, No. 2021 Dana street; Adam Kraft, No. 2015 Blake street.

They declared earlier in the week that they would not register and were arrested by Chief of Police August Vollmer after they would not register.

CALIFORNIA CAMPAIGN FOR WOOD-FUEL BEGUN

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—[illegible] tonight rates on wood for [illegible] of coal will be sought, [illegible] to plans in view here today [illegible] E. Schwabacher, Fuel [illegible] for California.

[illegible] to encourage the use [illegible] wood was named by Schwabacher [illegible] making a campaign for [illegible] coal for government [illegible] and other war industries. [illegible] is to be composed [illegible] Smith, chairman, manager [illegible] California White and Pine [illegible] Manufacturers' Association; [illegible] of the Union Lumber [illegible] Prof. George [illegible] Stanford University; T. D. [illegible] assistant district forester [illegible] H. S. Pratt, assistant forester [illegible]

[illegible] IS ELECTED TO FRENCH ACADEMY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 14.—Marshal Joffre, [illegible] commander-in-chief of the French army, was today elected a member of the French academy by [illegible] of the votes out of a possible [illegible] six members were absent [illegible] the vote cast was a blank.

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[BY A. P.]

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LOWER PRICE[illegible] POTATO[illegible]

[BY A. P.]

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The prices, effect[illegible] were fixed by agre[illegible] San Francisco Rai[illegible] sociation and the C[illegible] sale Potato Dea[illegible] They were: 2 cents [illegible] pound lots, and 2 1-[illegible] in less than 100-po[illegible] At the end of ten [illegible] will be subject to [illegible]

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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ANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

Munich sign a peace treaty, a Vienna dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin says. Turkish troops will take possession of all Turkish territory which hitherto had been occupied by Russians.

The writer of the dispatch, who asserts his information has been received from an authoritative source, goes on to say that although the maintenance of a cordon along the Persian part of the eastern front will demand a not inconsiderable number of men, the greater part of the forces now there, especially its artillery and technical troops, will be free for employment in other fronts.

On the southern section of the front, the future position depends upon the decision of Russia, which says the writer, must either make a peaceful solution or realize the eventual internment of 10 army in Ukraine.

A state of preparedness in the east is an important military question, the correspondent adds, especially on account of the strain between Ukraine and Northern Russia.

Economic.

ANUFACTURERS RMAN BOYCOTT

P. NIGHT WIRE.]

handling of which rests on the President and Congress, to the action of a boycott, as outlined by the Paris conference of 1916, would be at variance with the recent declaration of President Wilson, as contained in his address to Congress, April 6, 1917.

"We are but the champions of mankind. We shall be content when these rights have been made secure as the faith and freedom of the nations can make them. We have no jealousy of German power. We do not wish to fight her or with arms of hostile aggression or selfish injury. She may have her place among the peaceful nations of the world if she is willing to accept it upon the same terms as the rest. She can have it upon no other. We are willing to associate her with us and the other powers in the league of nations, of the world for the maintenance of the principles and the covenants of justice and fair dealings.

"In view of these facts the co-operation proposed by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States is, in our opinion futile, but should it meets with our unqualified approval."

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...ations Direct with Carranza to Start.

...Republic's People Now in Actual Want.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...HINGTON, Feb. 14.—Negotiations for a freer interchange of foodstuffs and other products by the United States and Mexico, begun in Mexico City, to be concluded at Mexico City, and Mexico, to enter into an agreement, will leave this week for Mexico City, accompanied by Ambassador Fletcher, to permit President Wilson personally to participate in the negotiations.

It is believed at the State Department that since Mexico will be the principal beneficiary of any agreement, Germany will interpose no obstacle in the way of an adjustment of the problems that have grown out of the embargo. With Mr. Wilson will go George McCarty, a New York banker, who has been active in aiding the Food Administration.

The economic condition is said to have become worse unless a modification of the embargo on foodstuffs is effected. A large part of the Mexican population is on the verge of starvation, it is said, and in the agreement now being worked upon.

...ences over the impression in the United States have resulted in an understanding which is expected to result in a lower tariff against Mexico also. It is said that the exportation of products to the United States, and a modification of various

...which debate is another cause of the gold supply. ...to stabilization of exchange is suggested by the ...government as the ...under which ...men may ...reserve.

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...Y A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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...earlier in the week ...not register and ...Chief of Police Au... ...but they would not

...RNIA CAMPAIGN ...OOD FUEL BEGUN

...Y A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.— ...fates on wood for ...of coal will be sought, ...plans in view here to- ...E. Schwabacher, Fuel ...for California.

...to encourage the use ...now named by Schwa... ...a campaign for re... ...for government ...other war industries. ...to be composed ...Smith, chairman, man... ...California White and Fu... ...Association; ...of the Union Lum... ...Prof. George I. ...University; T. D. ...consulting district forest... ...Pinson, assistant forester.

...S ELECTED ...ENCH ACADEMY.

...AND A. P.]

...16—Marshal Joffre, ...Commander-in-chief of the ...was today elected a ...the French academy by ...votes cast out of a possible ...Forty-one members were ab... ...whose vote cast was a blank.

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Agree with Wilson.

(Continued from First Page.)

Germany savagely comment on President Wilson's address. The Rheinische Westfalische Gazette under the caption, "Wilson, the Prisoner," says:

"They are talking to save their necks—Wilson, Lloyd George and the toothless tiger in Paris. With lawyer tricks they are trying to humbug their deluded peoples. It is impossible to take President Wilson seriously."

Assuming haughty contempt, this newspaper proceeds to prove to its own satisfaction that President Wilson failed in what it terms his three objects, namely, to heartten the British with tales of inexhaustible American resources, to try and split Germany and Austria-Hungary and play off the Reichstag majority against the military party.

President Wilson has had no luck, the newspaper continues. "We can tell him a complete accord has just been arrived at between Germany and Austria-Hungary, the effects of which will become patent ere long."

The Dusseldorf Nachrichten says:

"After reading the address we have given up hope that our readers will be able to make head or tail of what President Wilson really wants. . . . The only thing clear is that by flattering Count Csernin (the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister) he wants to isolate Germany and then isolate all the strong forces with Germany. . . .

"President Wilson's address does not mitigate the Versailles declaration one whit. He blasphemously invokes divine judgment. That judgment already has been spoken. Our soil is enemy free. While the Czar and other Kings eat bread in exile, we, free in the east, shall settle the rest in the west."

CALIFORNIA POSTS FILLED BY WILSON.

EUREKA MAN APPOINTED RECEIVER OF PUBLIC MONEYS BY PRESIDENT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The following nominations were made today by President Wilson.

Gratton D. Little, Eureka, Cal., receiver of public moneys (reappointment.)

Member of the California Debris Commission, Col. Charles L. Potter, army engineers.

TO REPLACE PARK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Col. Charles L. Potter, Engineer Corps, nominated as a member of the California Debris Commission by President Wilson, undoubtedly will take the position on the commission occupied by Col. Richard Park, former engineering officer of the Western Department of the Army, it was said today by attaches of the commission.

Col. Park has been transferred to an eastern station, and it was thought that his absence from San Francisco would be so prolonged as to make it impossible for him to continue as a member of the commission.

The Debris Commission, supported jointly by the State and Federal governments, attends to the clearing of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers of debris. Its present members from the Army Engineering Corps are Col. Lewis H. Rand, Col. William H. Heuer and Col. Park. A corresponding number of members also are appointed by the Governor and serve in behalf of the State.

FEDERAL OPPOSITION TO GAS-RATE RAISES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Objection was entered by the United States government today against the application by the Pacific Gas and electric, Great Western Power and City Electric companies for permission to increase their rates throughout the State by 20 per cent. for industrial, commercial and agricultural purposes.

Hearings on the application are in progress before the State Railroad Commission. Paymaster F. S. Farquhar, U.S.N., appeared for the government and said there were several Federal contracts in the hands of plants that would be affected seriously by the increases, if granted.

It was further stated that it would be an injustice to the country to put additional burdens on government contracts and that the plants affected practically had been commandeered by the government.

CARTOONISTS TO AID NEXT LIBERTY LOAN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Feb. 14.—More than fifty widely-known American cartoonists have volunteered their services to the Treasury Department in preparing a wordless booklet to be used in promoting the coming third Liberty Loan.

The booklet will contain only drawings, will be distributed by millions, and is expected to make a special appeal to admirers of cartoons, and to those who do not have the time or inclination to read the worn appeals for Liberty Loan subscriptions.

The cartoons will be distributed among daily newspapers for reproduction during the campaign.

LOWER PRICES FOR POTATOES ORDERED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Lower prices for California river potatoes in the San Francisco Bay region were fixed today by the United States Food Administration for California as the first step in a campaign designed to educate the public to consume more potatoes as a wheat and meat conservation measure.

The prices, effective for ten days, were fixed by agreement with the San Francisco Retail Grocers' Association and the California Wholesale Potato Dealers' Association. They were: 2 cents a pound in 100-pound lots, and 2 1-4 cents a pound in less than 100-pound lots.

At the end of ten days the prices will be subject to revision.

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NORWAY BALKS AT U.S. DEMAND

Declines to Restrict Exports to Central Powers.

Agreement Means War with Germany, They Fear.

Counter Proposals Considered by War Trade Board.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Norway, in her reply to the proposals of the United States for a food rationing agreement, made public here today by Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, head of the Norwegian special mission, offers to guarantee that no American products shall go through Norway to Germany, but declines to meet the full American demands for a restricted export of Norwegian products to the Central Powers.

"In her commercial policy," it is declared, "Norway cannot break off commercial relations with one of the belligerent parties without the serious danger arising that it will not be possible to maintain the political neutrality of the country any longer. Norway may justly claim that she shall not through the prospect of being denied daily bread, be placed before the choice between actual need and the acceptance of an agreement which would involve danger to her position as a neutral and possibly expose her to a war.

"Norway will as compensation for the essential supplies which it hopes to receive from the United States and their associates permit the far-predominant part of its export surplus to be exported to these countries. In order to maintain her economic life Norway, however, also needs supplies from the Central Powers, and it is therefore necessary that it shall remain in a neutral position to render services in compensation for such supplies."

The War Trade Board, which is conducting the negotiations for the United States, declined to state how far the Norwegian counter-proposals are acceptable, but said the negotiations would be continued.

Norway refuses to accede to the requirements of the War Trade Board that it stop exporting to the Central Powers any materials that may be used in the manufacture of munitions or supplies of war, as well as pyrites, antimony, bismuth, manganese, mica, nickel, tin, titanium, wolfram, calcium carbide, calcium nitrate, ferro silicon and molybdenite. It points out that these exports have been going forward to the Central Powers in limited quantities and that since Norway is dependent upon Germany for many materials essential to its economic existence it cannot abide by the War Trade Board's requirements in this respect. However, it agreed to limit the amount of these supplies exported to the Central Powers.

"A very strong and widespread feeling has developed in Norway," says the note, "demanding that export prohibitions should be issued for all articles of importance in order that Norway shall be in a position to prevent that such articles are cut out of the country without corresponding counter-values being received in compensation. And the Norwegian government, in order to regulate the country's commercial relations to all sides, have under consideration the issuance of export prohibitions for the articles which primarily are under discussion here and which are not already subject to export prohibitions."

According to the above proposal, Norway will, as compensation for the essential supplies which it hopes to receive from the United States and their assistants, permit the far predominant part of its export surplus to be exported to these countries. In order to maintain her economic life, Norway, however, also needs supplies from the Central Powers and it is therefore necessary that it shall remain in a position to render services in compensation for such supplies.

The note expresses the "warm wish that it will be appreciated that Norway has tried to meet the United States as far as the Norwegian government has found it compatible with the vital interests of the country. Norway offers as compensation for the necessary supplies from the United States and their assistants the predominant part of her exportation in addition to the exceedingly important service and sacrifices which the Norwegian merchant marine has rendered during the war."

Besides agreeing that no American products will be re-exported to the Central Powers, Norway agrees that no Norwegian products replaced by exports shall go to those powers. It further agrees to bind the governments of neutrals contiguous to Germany not to permit any goods imported from Norway which Norway may not ship to the Central Powers to go to those powers.

WAR-SAVINGS WARNING.

State Director Calls Attention to Unauthorized Solicitation for Advertising.

A warning was issued yesterday by State Director G. A. Davidson of the National War Savings Committee that solicitors of certain publications are using the war-savings campaign as a means of inducing firms and individuals to donate war savings stamp advertising to their publications.

"Such solicitations are not made with the authority of the War Savings Committee," the warning states, "and you are hereby requested not to contribute such copy. All requests for war savings stamps advertising will come to you direct from the manager of the State Advertising Bureau or the State director.

"When such requests come, as come they will, ask the hearty co-operation of all merchants, advertisers and interested individuals."

RED CROSS SELECTS PACIFIC DIRECTOR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—The appointment of Col. George Filmer as director of military relief for the Pacific Division, American Red Cross, was announced here tonight by Marshal Hale, manager of the division. Col. Filmer, it was announced, is a Red Cross volunteer serving without compensation and taking the place made vacant by the resignation of Harrison Dibblee.

Col. Filmer is secretary of the United States Fuel Administration Committee for this city.

Innocence.

HENNIG FREED OF TREASON.

Directed Verdict Acquits Naturalized German.

State's Attorney Asks Jury to Release Accused.

Fails to Convict of Tampering with Torpedo Parts.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—By direction of the court and at the request of the Federal District Attorney, the jury in the trial for treason of Paul C. Hennig today returned a verdict of not guilty.

Hennig, a naturalized German, was accused of tampering with parts of gyroscopes manufactured at the plant of the E. W. Bliss Company, in Brooklyn, where he formerly was foreman.

The gyroscopes were intended for use in torpedoes made for the United States government.

Melvin J. France, the Federal Attorney, addressing the court just as the case was to go to the jury, said that after considering the evidence put in by the defense he found himself in a "troubled state of mind" and that while he could place the burden of determining Hennig's guilt or innocence on the jury, he believed it was his duty both to the government and to the public to follow his own conscience and ask for a court's direction to the jury that Hennig be acquitted. He did this, Mr. France said, without impeaching the testimony of witnesses produced by the government. During the trial the defense had developed phases of which he had known nothing at the beginning, he said.

A. K. Wing, Hennig's attorney, told United States Judge Thomas I. Chatfield, he wished to congratulate the government for having in the District Attorney's office "a big man" like France. Hennig, during Mr. France's address, broke down for the first time and wept. His wife and three children, one of whom is named after Theodore Roosevelt, were in court when Hennig was acquitted.

Hennig's case was the first trial for treason in the United States during the present war.

Judge Chatfield, in discharging Hennig, said the men who gave the information against him apparently were misled in their conclusions and thought they were doing their duty as good citizens.

"You will prove your manhood and your good citizenship," continued the judge, "by looking at this thing from the standpoint from which the jury has looked at it, and not by merely going out of the courtroom with the idea that you are against everyone, or that everyone is against you. But I feel that it is proper to caution you against carrying with you feelings that you might have had while the charge was over your head."

"I thank you as a faithful American citizen," replied Hennig.

ORPHAN HOME AFIRE; WOUNDED IMPERILED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MONTREAL, Feb. 14.—The west wing of the Grey Nunnery in this city, occupied partly by returned wounded soldiers and partly by orphan children, is on fire and probably will be destroyed.

Unconfirmed reports that thirty or forty children lost their lives were later denied. All the soldiers are believed to have escaped.

WAR BREAD BAKING TO BE A SCIENCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—The baking of Liberty bread will be made an exact science, the Technical Service Committee of the National Association of Master Bakers announced today.

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RECEIVER APPOINTED FOR MUSIC COMPANY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Appointment of Samuel H. Daniels, a banker, as receiver for the Eilers Music Company was announced today by Judge M. T. Dooling of the United States District Court.

In a statement issued by the company, its financial difficulties were attributed to abnormal conditions growing out of the war. Branch stores previously maintained at Fresno, Stockton, San Jose, Los Angeles and Eureka have been abandoned in the last year, only the stores at San Francisco and Oakland being operated.

The company listed its assets at $550,000 and its liabilities at less than $300,000. Many of the assets are in the form of installment payments on pianos which have not yet been paid.

SUFFRAGISTS FIGHT REFERENDUM PLANS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Feb. 14.—The Nebraska Woman Suffrage Association today filed suit in District Court here for a writ of injunction to prevent the Secretary of State from placing on the ballot of the election next fall the referendum proposition on the suffrage question. The action filed today charges that the petition for submission of the referendum "does not contain the genuine signatures of 5 per cent. of the legal voters of each of two-fifths of the counties of the State, as required by the constitutional provisions of the statutes."

The referendum was instituted by antisuffragists following passage at the last session of the Legislature of a law giving woman the right to vote for all but officers provided for by the State Constitution.

APPEAL TO TEACHERS TO ASSIST IN DRAFT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 14.—Gov. Stephens issued an appeal today to school teachers throughout the State who have not volunteered heretofore to present themselves at once at the headquarters of local exemption boards in their respective districts and assist in making a card index of the industrial capacities of draft registrants.

Provost-Marshal-General Crowder has urged that the information be prepared as quickly as possible.

ZIONIST COMMISSION TO WORK WITH LABOR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Announcement was made by the Central Committee of the American Poale-Zion, or Socialist Zionists, today that Jewish labor would be represented on the Zionist Commission which the British government has authorized to go to Palestine.

S. Kaplansky, leader of the International Poale-Zion, is a member of the commission, and one representative for Great Britain and another for America would be added, it was stated.

SECRETARY WILSON CALLS FOR WORKERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Secretary Wilson today issued a statement calling on ship workers to enroll in the United States public service reserve during the campaign to secure 370,000 workers to build the country's merchant fleet.

"Membership in the reserve brings official recognition of the performance of or the readiness to perform a most necessary and patriotic service," the Secretary said.

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This Massachusetts Woman Tells How She Found Relief From a Serious Situation.

One of the most common and dangerous diseases from which growing girls suffer is anemia or lack of blood.

It is common because the blood so often becomes impoverished during development, when girls are too frequently allowed to overstudy, over-work and suffer from lack of exercise. It is dangerous because of the stealthiness of its approach, often being well developed before its presence is recognized, and because of its tendency to grow so steadily worse, if not promptly checked, that it may run into consumption. Mrs. C. E. Redman, of No. 49 Salem street, Bradford, Mass., says:

"When I was in my teens, I caught a severe cold. It settled all over me and that was the starting point of my illness. My mother took me to a number of doctors but they did me no good at all. Every one thought that I was going into consumption. Each week I became worse until I was so completely run down that I had to give up my work. My blood was turning to water and I was pale and thin. My ears were transparent. I had no appetite and my stomach could not stand any food, even a glass of milk would upset it. An aunt, who came to visit us, took me home with her, thinking the change would do me good. I did not improve in health and was often confined to my bed, at one time for six weeks.

"One day a neighbor advised my aunt to give me 'Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as she knew that they were good for the blood. The pills helped me at once and in a month's time I was back home at work. Everyone looked at me in amazement to see such a change. My mother has often told me that she believes Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved my life. Since then I have taken the pills in the spring whenever I have felt run down. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done wonders for me and I feel that it is my duty to give this statement."

When a girl's color fades, when her cheeks and lips grow pale and she gets short of breath easily and her heart palpitates after slight exertion or under the least excitement it means that she is suffering from thin blood.

Headache and backache often accompany this condition and nervousness is frequently present.

The remedy, of course, is to build up the blood and for this purpose Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are recommended. They are the remedy best suited to restore the blood, bring brightness to the eyes and put color in the cheeks and lips.

Two books, "Building Up the Blood" and "What to Eat and How to Eat," give just the information that every mother of a growing girl needs. They are free. Write for them today to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be mailed postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT.

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

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Baseball, Boxing, Track—Latest Sport News by Wire

Aha!

ANCIENT FOES FIGHT TODAY.

Poly and L. A. High to Grapple for Supremacy.

Dope Seems to Lean Toward the Anvil Pounders.

"Old Faithful" Haney will be Among the Missing.

BY JAMES DE CAMP.

Poly and L. A. High will put on the gloves and renew their age-old argument this afternoon on the historic Bovard cinder trail. Ever since Los Angeles was a blushing Angelette, just sprouting her snowy pinions, these two parties have been shocking the natives with their frequent backyard differences and rending the climate with raucous opinions of each other. The Mechanics and Straphangers have striven ineffectually to settle the burning question of supremacy by valiant indulgence in the gentle pastimes of football and baseball and all of the various sports known to the curriculum. They have even resorted to strenuous forms of exercise and competition invented upon the inspiration of the moment and not fully approved by the pedagogical authorities, but today the young gentlemen in question have decided to don their breezy muslin panties and endeavor to chase one another into the abyss of defeat.

According to the Polyites the L. A. squad stands about as much chance of a victory as Roscoe Arbuckle trying to climb through the center of a doughnut. The Mechanics point with pride and satisfaction to their 70½ to 51½ decision over the U.S.C. freshmen two weeks ago. The L. A. High Straphangers had a terrible time holding the aforesaid Pergreeners down to a 62-31 win. Nuf sed for Sherlock to make his deductions.

SAD.

Doc Skinner and his anvil-pounding Mechanics will find themselves without the highly talented assistance of Frederick Haney, all-around track star, in today's momentous battle. Haney has suffered the painful extinction attendant upon that terrible calamity called "graduation," which is the inexorable Nemesis of athletic idols, large and small. His long, varied and honorable career has been pathetically terminated and, according to report, a fund is being collected to buy a bronze statue of the stocky demigod for the front lawn of the Washington-street institution. Considerable discussion has arisen over the details of this work of art, some of Haney's admirers insisting that his likeness be garbed in football gear while the faculty declares that the sculptor must create a studious atmosphere for the interpretation, placing a work on differential calculus in the hand of the mighty one and perching a scholar's cap atop his dome. These matters will probably be settled by a vote to be taken at the track meet this afternoon.

Schiller of Poly is looked upon as the best bet in the sprints today, with Brewer of the Straphangers sifting along close behind. Great things are being expected of Commuster Johnnie Doyle in the weight events, but the Mechanics are counting on counteracting Johnnie's prowess by gobbling up an excess number of points in the track events.

Pegreeners Win.

Bovard Field was full of excitement and fleeting white panties yesterday afternoon, when the U.S.C. freshmen garnered another bushel of glory by defeating the Hollywood High 78-44. The most consistent point winners for the young Trojans were Lucas and Evans, the former taking 19 1-4 tallies and the latter 14 digits. Evans is the man that heaves the weights and soars his bulky self in the atmosphere for the jumps. His right-hand conspirator, Lucas, rambled through the sprints in good time, doing the 100-yard dash in the somewhat notable time of 10 1-5s.

A young man named Jackson from out in the foothills surprised the U. S.C. warriors by winning the javelin throw from Raab, who is justifiably touted as being an all around athlete. Jackson threw the spear 185ft. 7½in. The other two Hollywood men that won first places were Allen, in the high hurdles, and Barnhart, in the mile.

The meet was a surprise to the track fans, as the Foothillers are doped to have a fast squad of scooters. The U.S.C. freshmen have been walloped in the earlier part of the season, but are recuperating splendidly.

The summary:

Pole vault: Raab (U.S.C.) first; Abbott (H.) second; McDowell (H.) and Barber (H.) tied for third. Height 9ft. 6in.

100-yard run: Raab (U.S.C.) first; Barnhart (H., second; Gomez (H.) third. Time 10-2-5s.

75-yard dash: Lucas (U.S.C.) first; Lohman (H.) second; Ayres (H.) third. Time 10 1-5s.

High jump: Evans (U.S.C.) first; Allen (H.) second; Saunders (H.) third. Height 5ft. 6¼in.

High hurdles: Allen (H.) first; Raab (U.S.C.) second; Townsend (U.S.C.) third. Time 17 2-5s.

Mile run: Barnhart (H.) first; Lucas (U.S.C.) second; Curtis (U.S.C.) third. Time 5ft. 2-5s.

Shot put: Evans (U.S.C.) first; Lucas (U.S.C.) second; Townsend (U.S.C.) third. Distance 35ft. 11in.

220-yard run: Lucas (U.S.C.) first; Ayres (H.) second; Meadows (H.) third. Time 24 2-5s.

Discus: Evans (U.S.C.) first; Beals (U.S.C.) second; Lucas (U.S.C.) third. Distance 111ft. 1in.

220-yard low hurdles: Lucas (U.S.C.) first; Hinds (H.) second; Townsend (U.S.C.) third. Time 26 4-5s.

Javelin throw: Jackson (H.) first; Raab (U.S.C.) second; Albright (H.) third. Distance 156ft. 7½in.

Broad jump: Evans (U.S.C.) first; Evans (U.S.C.) second; Lohman (H.) third. Distance 20ft. 6in.

Relay run: Barnhart (H.) first; Curtis (U.S.C.) second; Kelly (U.S.C.) third. Time 3m. 45s.

Relay: Four-man relay won by U.S.C. Time 3m. 45s.

Total: U.S.C., 79; Hollywood, 44.

GOLFERS COMPETE AT CORONADO CLUB.

CHICAGO PLAYER EQUALS THE RECORD OF COUNTRY CLUB COURSE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14.—R. Bensinger, Jr., of Chicago, equaled a record at Coronado today, when he went over the Country Club golf course in seventy strokes, the amateur record for the course, winning his match in the Hotel del Coronado guests' tournament. Play in this tourney will continue throughout the week, followed by the open championship tournament next week.

ARISTOCRATIC DOG SHOW OPENS TODAY.

The eleventh annual dog show of the Pasadena Kennel Club will open in the Crown City today, with a weird chorus of yaps and barks. Several trainloads of aristocratic fidos will be on hand to make the exhibition a howling success, both literally and figuratively. All of the proceeds will be donated to the Orphans' Home Society of South Pasadena.

L.A.A.C. HANDBALL.

Sunday morning at the L.A.A.C. the doubles teams of Laswell and Amestoy and Cochrane and Gifford will clash for the Class D title of the Mercurytes. The cheering will be led by Kewpie Keppen, who announces that a large gallery will be on hand to furnish the music.

CINDERPATH STARS TO COMPETE TODAY

The new Occidental College cinderpath, will receive another thorough testing out this afternoon, when Lincoln and the Oxy Tigers get together for a practice meet. The Lincolnites have been showing an unexpected amount of class in their appearances this season and may force the collegians to the limit.

Norwood, Occidental's star sprinter, is out to redeem himself for his defeat by the Manual Artisans last week. The former sprint star has announced that he will try to hang up a new mark for Patterson Stadium in the hundred this afternoon.

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It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

Meadowview Bob Roy.

An English setter of fine points, entered in the eleventh annual exhibition of the Pasadena Kennel Club, which opens in the Crown City today.

Baseball.

MAJOR LEAGUES ADOPT WAR ADMISSION PRICES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—A uniform schedule of admission prices to the major league baseball parks during the period of the war was agreed upon today by a joint committee appointed for that purpose by the presidents of the National and American leagues. The results of their deliberations were announced at the close of the annual schedule meeting of the American League tonight. Including the 10 per cent. war tax, the list of prices will be as follows:

Twenty-five-cent seats, 30 cents each; 50-cent seats, 55 cents; 75-cent seats, 85 cents; $1 and $1.25 box seats, $1.10 and $1.40, respectively.

These prices were adopted to avoid the trouble and delay which would be caused by making change in pennies. The excess charges over the amount of the regular war tax of 10 per cent. on the 25 and 75-cent admissions and the $1.25 box seats, may be retained or given to charity at the discretion of the individual clubs.

The playing schedule of 154 games for the 1918 season was adopted at the American League session, and it was announced that, owing to the difficulty in obtaining drill sergeants, there would be no military drilling exercises for the players the coming season.

President Frazee of the Boston Red Sox and Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics were in consultation for a long time regarding the players which the Boston club is to give in return for the services of First Baseman McInnis. Four players are to be sent to Philadelphia, but at the end of the conference no definite arrangement had been made, and it looked as if the Boston management would have to purchase them in order to complete the deal.

Clark Griffith, having obtained the necessary waivers on Catcher John Henry of the Washington club, sold him outright to the Boston Nationals. The Cleveland Americans bought Pitcher John Enzmann from the Newark Internationals. The only other deal made known during the day was the release of Pitcher Sam Ross and Outfielder Everett Bankston by the New York Americans, to the Southern Association club at Memphis, Tenn.

Committees from the American and National leagues will meet here tomorrow for the final adjustment of affairs with the representatives of the Pittsburgh, Newark and Brooklyn Federal League clubs.

GET IN LINE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Club owners of the American Association undoubtedly will follow the example of the major leagues in increasing the prices of admission. President Hickey said tonight. The question will be decided at the schedule meeting to be held in Milwaukee February 25.

"It will be necessary to take some action to avoid handling pennies in meeting the government war tax," Hickey said. "It will be impossible to serve the public in making oddpenny change. I think a majority of the club owners will vote in favor of increasing the prices."

Revenge.

DEMPSEY SETTLES FLYNN IN MINUTE, TEN SECONDS

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

FORT SHERIDAN (Ill.) Feb. 14.—Jack Dempsey, the California heavyweight, squared accounts with Jim Flynn in the arena of the Fortieth Infantry at Fort Sheridan tonight, and he did it so quickly, that Flynn scarcely knew that he was in a fight. The finish came in just one minute and ten seconds, the fireman being knocked through the ropes. He was so helpless he couldn't crawl back himself, and when his seconds went to his rescue and helped him back into the ring, Referee Ed Smith stopped the uneven scrap, awarding Dempsey the fight. It was a complete knockout and it was nearly a minute before Flynn knew he was at Fort Sheridan.

There were two knockdowns in the short space of time taken to end the bout. It was less than a minute after they had started, when the Californian shot a [illegible] to Flynn's jaw and the [illegible] who showed plainly [illegible] through, crumpled to the [illegible] Dempsey, cool and alert, [illegible] his foe to arise, and when [illegible] to his feet after taking [illegible] nine, Jack laced [illegible] enraged bull. He [illegible] and right with terrific [illegible] Flynn's head and simply [illegible] to pay any attention to [illegible] efforts of the fireman.

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TOILERS PREPARE FOR PASADENA HIGH.

The scantily clad warriors from Manual Arts and Pasadena will meet on the track tomorrow afternoon on the Toilers oval at 2:15 o'clock. This will be Pasadena's debut this year in track.

Vic Linda's tape chasers are going well this year, with the exception of Capt. Wood, who is said to have gotten off to a slow start. Manual walloped Lincoln and also got the best of Occidental, but in the latter meet both teams claimed to be the winner.

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Washington.

HARBOR LINK NOW ASSURED.

Connecting Channel Termed War Measure by Hurley.

Appropriation Asked to Start Work at Once.

Shipping Board Takes up the Fight for Improvement.

[BY WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Los Angeles and Long Beach harbors will be united by a connecting channel at once. Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board tonight wrote to the Senate and Harbors Committee of the House urging an immediate appropriation of $130,350 to connect the two harbors. Mr. Hurley's letter recommends the work as a war measure and an emergency. The letter was handed by Mr. Hurley to Senator Myer Windham and President Vreedenburgh of the Long Beach Chamber of Commerce tonight. It was the telegraphic correspondence of Col. Pillsbury of the Engineer Corps of the army in San Francisco, in accordance with a previous agreement in the committee that the bill be included in this appropriation bill and will be available as soon as signed by President Wilson. Its passage in the Senate is assured.

The reasons on which the Los Angeles and Long Beach men based their plea was set forth in two letters sent to Chairman Hurley by Congressman Osborne.

OSBORNE'S PLEA.

The latter letter reads:

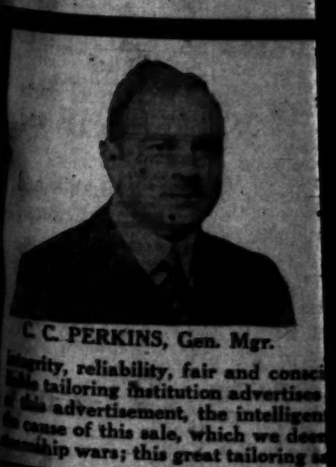
"I respectfully urge your indorsement of the appropriation of $130,350 to connect Long Beach and Los Angeles harbors. In accordance with plans prepared and approved by United States government engineers as a proper war emergency expenditure for the following purposes:

"Two shipbuilding plants, the Pacific Shipbuilding Company and the Craig Shipbuilding Company, located on adjoining property, under one management, on Long Beach harbor.

"They have a skilled mechanical force left up during the seven months of operation of the California Shipbuilding Company, and the former machinery and ways to be utilized in producing ships. The two plants referred to have a capacity of 250,000 tons; they are at this time building steel ships and three submarines for the United States government, the steel ships having been contracted under private contract and the submarines turned over to the government.

RETURN TO CITY.

"The present entrance from the ocean to Long Beach Harbor has been obtained with great difficulty by the engineers of the city of Long Beach. The obstacle of the entrance will not permit of passage of any but the smaller vessels and the constant shifting of sands, due to storm and tidal action, renders unsatisfactory the maintenance of the present project depth. Long Beach already is under heavy burdens of taxation and cannot afford to spend



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"2. The supply of labor at Long Beach is excellent and there has been no difficulty in maintaining the force at the Long Beach plants. Records of work under way will show proper progress. The housing accommodations are better at Long Beach than at any other city engaged in shipbuilding on the Pacific Coast.

HOUSES PLENTIFUL.

"At this time more than 100 shipbuilders engaged at San Pedro are being moved daily from Long Beach. Long Beach is built to accommodate a summer transient population of a great many thousands of people and these houses are occupied, and can be occupied under shipbuilding necessities, to the exclusion of the short-time visitors. If, therefore, without any reference to immediate further construction, it should prove desirable and necessary that these plants at Long Beach be utilized to their full capacity in producing ships, the conditions are as favorable for rapid progress as at any point in the United States.

"3. Recognizing the difficulties of maintaining permanent entrance direct from the ocean to its own harbor the city of Long Beach has voted $400,000 bonds, funds from which are now available for the purpose of connecting its harbor with Los Angeles Harbor, and thereby affording a permanent way with a satisfactory depth of water to the ocean through the Los Angeles Harbor. It also renders available industrial sites and at least one good shipbuilding site on the connecting channel, which, while of no immediate utility might, looking into the future and a prolonged war, be of very considerable value.

COST DIVIDED.

"The amount required from the government to complete the channel between the two harbors is only, $125,150, through the extension of the Long Beach harbor situation, the government is now able to obtain help to the extent of $200,000, which perhaps would ordinarily be considered as a government expenditure and which appropriation cannot be considered as available for any indefinite time.

"These conditions I feel, giving a useful government waterway at this time needed, costing $125,000, at an expense of only $125,150 to the government and protecting the utility of shipbuilding plants and ships under construction for the government, justify your earnest co-operation and approval in securing the necessary appropriation of $125,150 as a war emergency measure."

CHANNEL SHOALS.

In the second letter Congressman Osborne said:

"Supplementing my letter of 9th inst., re Long Beach harbor: Three months ago the entrance to Long Beach Harbor shoaled from eighteen feet to nine feet. One submarine out on trial trip had to tie up at San Pedro because it could not get back into the harbor. Long Beach city then spent $35,000 deepening the entrance but this may again be filled at any time. This small city of 40,000 people is not in position to incur such expenditures to meet emergencies.

"At this time there are being built for the United States government in Long Beach Harbor the following ships:

"Two 3500-ton steel vessels (commandeered) both well under way.

"Three 6000-ton vessels (all material on hand, one keel laid.)

"Two submarines, having their trial trips.

"Three submarines (to be launched in next four months.)

"You can see the loss to the government if these ships be involved, before they are all completed, $125,250 might easily be spent on this entrance and only with temporary results.

"Therefore, the expenditure of $125,250 (with Long Beach's $200,000 now available for that purpose) to complete a twenty-foot channel to Los Angeles harbor, is surely justified as a war measure."

STANFORD FIVE DEFEATS NEVADA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 14.—The Stanford basketball team defeated the University of Nevada by a score of 36 to 26. The invaders played in rare form the first half and held the Cards to a 12-to-11 tie, but in the second period Stanford broke loose and began caging baskets from all parts of the floor. Waif of Nevada, barred on free throws, caging nine out of a possible eleven.

As a curtain raiser the frosh engaged the Berkeley babes in a hair-raising contest. The lads from across the bay got away with a good start and were never passed although the Stanford boys were well on their heels most all the time. The final whistle found the score 32 to 24 in favor of California. Fairchilds, the diminutive forward, was easily the individual star, scoring eighteen points single-handed. California gets the series by a 2-to-1 margin.

AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE FOR 1918.

READ	AT CHICAGO	AT ST. LOUIS	AT DETROIT	AT CLEVELAND	AT WASHINGTON	AT PHILADELPHIA	AT NEW YORK	AT BOSTON	ABROAD
CHICAGO	THE	April 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 Sept. 4, 5, 6 Oct. 3, 5, 6	May 2, 3, 4, 5 June 24, 25, 26, 27 Sept. 2, 3	April 29, 30, May 1 May 12 May 30, 31 Aug. 9, 10, 11, 12	May 15, 16, 17, 18 July 19, 20, 22, 23 Aug. 26, 27, 28	May 10, 11, 13, 14 July 16, 17, 18 Aug. 21, 22, 23, 24	May 30, 31, 22, 23 July 6, 8, 9, 10 Aug. 17, 19, 20	May 24, 25, 27, 28 July 11, 12, 13, 15 Aug. 14, 15, 16	Decoration Day at Cleveland Labor Day at Detroit
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Profitable Patriotism.

ORDERS INQUIRY AT HOG ISLAND.

Shipyard Scandal Causes the President to Act.

Department of Justice will Look into Financing.

Hurley Hints Company may Lose Big Contracts.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Investigation by the Department of Justice of the American International Corporation's construction of the government's big fabricating steel shipyard at Hog Island, Pa., was ordered today by President Wilson with a view to criminal prosecutions if the facts develop more than reckless expenditure of government money.

At the same time Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board indicated that the corporation's contracts for building the yard and ships might be cancelled, which was taken to mean that the government might take over the yard. This step has been urged by members of the Senate committee investigating shipbuilding.

The President asked for the investigation in the following letter to Atty.-Gen. Gregory:

PRESIDENT'S LETTER.

"Mr. Hurley of the Shipping Board has called my attention to some very serious facts which have recently been developed with regard to contracts made in connection with the shipbuilding programme with the company operating at Hog Island.

"They are so serious, indeed, that I do not think that we can let them be taken care of merely by public disclosure and discussion. I would be very much obliged if you would have some trustworthy person in your department get into consultation with Mr. Hurley about the whole matter, with a view to instituting criminal process in case the facts justify it."

CHARGES.

Charges of mismanagement and a reckless spending of government funds at Hog Island have been made freely before the Senate committee. Witnesses have testified that the yard, for which the Shipping Board is putting up all the money, may cost twice the sum of $21,000,000 carried in original estimates. The slow progress made in construction of the yard and reports of loose management prompted Chairman Hurley, three weeks ago to put in full charge of the work, former Rear Admiral F. A. Bowles, assistant general manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation.

Mr. Hurley's threat to cancel the corporation's contracts was contained in a letter to Admiral Bowles directing him to uncover any irregularities and notifying him that Atty.-Gen. Gregory had been requested to designate a special assistant to assist him. Admiral Bowles was directed to effect a more economical management but was asked to await the Senate committee's report before announcing any programme of action.

HURLEY'S LETTER.

Mr. Hurley's letter follows:

"From newspaper reports, as well as from indications that have come from you, it is quite clear that there is a condition of disorganization, as well as of negligence at Hog Island. By taking hold of conditions with a strong hand, I am convinced that you will be able to bring about more careful and economical management. If there have been irregularities of any kind, punishment must be meted out to the offenders and I am requesting the Attorney-General to assign one of his assistants to aid you in this investigation.

"The whole question of the management of affairs at Hog Island is now before the Senate and I felt that you would want to know that in my opinion, we should await the judgment of the committee before committing ourselves to any programme of action. Of course we may find it necessary to cancel the present contract entirely.

"If, in this connection you have any suggestions to offer, I will be very glad to have them."

The Hog Island contract was the largest of three fabricating steel ship contracts let by the Emergency Fleet Corporation for which the government was to furnish all the money. The corporation is acting in effect as an agent of the government and in the words of Admiral Bowles before the Senate Committee is furnishing the "know how." It stands to make a profit of $6,000,000 on the yard and on the ships it is to build.

The American International Corporation is composed of some of the country's most powerful financiers, including Frank A. Vanderlip, Percy A. Rockefeller, J. Ogden Armour, Robert S. Lovett, William B. Corey, John D. Ryan, Theodore N. Vail, Otto H. Kahn, Pierre S. Dupont, James Stillman, Beekman Winthrop, Robert Dollar and Charles Stone.

The American International Shipbuilding Corporation, a subsidiary of the American International Corporation, is actually building the yard and will build the ships although the government's contracts were made with the American International Corporation. The Senate Committee's inquiry developed that some work has been sublet to outside contractors.

HEALTH CONDITIONS AT CAMPS IMPROVE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Continued improvement in health conditions at all army camps and cantonments is noted in the War Department summary for the week ending February 8, made public tonight. The hospital admission rate decreased from the preceding week, while the death rate, although slightly higher than the preceding week, was well below the average for the last two months.

Measles and pneumonia continued to decrease, while scarlet fever and meningitis showed slight increases.

The total number of deaths in the National Guard was sixty-eight, of which forty-six were due to pneumonia; the regulars had sixteen deaths, six from pneumonia, and the National Army, ninety-three deaths, fifty-four from pneumonia.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

THIS WILL MAKE MILLIONS HAPPY

Any corn will dry up and lift out, says a Cincinnati authority.

Let folks step on your feet hereafter; wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain.

This drug is sticky but dries at once and is said to simply shrivel up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue.

It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce obtained at any drug store will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Cut this out, especially if you are a woman reader who wears high heels.

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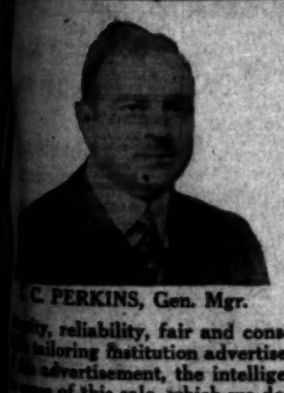

C. PERKINS, Gen. Mgr.

RECORD BREAKING WOOLEN SACRIFICE

In calling the attention of the intelligent public of Los Angeles relative to this tremendous woolen sacrifice and high-class tailoring sale, we wish to state that we are not compelled of necessity or through lack of business, to advertise to increase our business, and particularly so at this time of the year, as this institution enjoys the patronage of one of the most splendid exclusive clienteles in the City of Los Angeles, made possible by and accomplished through our unswerving principles of ...y, reliability, fair and conscientious dealings with the public of this community. Furthermore, we are fully cognizant of the indisputable fact that no re... tailoring institution advertises a sale continuously every week in the year, which in tailoring is absolutely preposterous, but by reading article to the right ... advertisement, the intelligent element that we are catering to will instantly grasp the meaning, purpose and the circumstances surrounding the issue and ... of this sale, which we deem justifiable under the circumstances. The intelligent public is fully familiar with the tactics employed in railroad and ...p wars; this great tailoring sale is based on the same principles, in that it's going to be competition with a vengeance.

...TLEMEN—This tremendous and magnificent selection of foreign and American fabrics will be placed on sale and at your dispo... a startling sacrifice, and at a price that will be a revelation. Hundreds of different styles to select from—every known weave, ... and design imaginable is here and at your disposal. Only under extraordinary circumstances will an offer of this kind be made ...liable and reputable tailoring institution. A goodly number of these patterns are hard to duplicate, as they are novelties in wool... ...entirely exclusive. Gentlemen, this same identical grade of fabrics was previously sold and made up from $30 - $32.50 AND $35 ...y, and we positively guarantee that we will make to your own individual measure out of this same identical grade of material, a handsomely and strictly ... HAND CUSTOMED TAILORED SUIT OR OVERCOAT during sale only for $19.50. Same identical high grade lining, trimmings and work... ...will positively be installed in your garments as though you had paid the original selling price of $30 - $32.50 AND $35, without our ... in the slightest degree from our usual high-grade standard of tailoring. These garments will be tailored by expert tailors with State-wide reputations ...workmanship that must be sustained. We positively guarantee the fitting of your garments to be absolutely perfect in every detail. These garments will be ... in our own shop, the construction of which will be under our own personal direction.

...wish to assure all gentlemen availing themselves of this splendid offer that, in the event of any dissatisfaction upon the completion of your suit or overcoat your money will be refunded ...request, or we will gladly remeasure you for an entire new suit or overcoat if preferable and agreeable to you. We seek and will accept no remuneration that we have not rightfully and ...fairly earned. Those are the ideals and principles this great tailoring organization has been founded on and which we have always and strictly adhered to during our entire commer... ...career and from which under no circumstances will there ever be any deviation. The intelligent public is extended a cordial invitation to visit this institution, where you can examine these ...goods at your own leisure, regardless of whether you place an order or not.

$30-$32.50-$35 SUIT or OVERCOAT TO ORDER DURING SALE ONLY $19.50

THIS SALE WILL CONTINUE IN FORCE FOR 8 DAYS, STARTING TODAY, FRIDAY—SALE POSITIVELY CLOSES NEXT SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 23. Open Evenings During Sale Only, Open Sat. Eve. until 10 P.M.

SCOTCH WOOLEN MILLS

433 SOUTH MAIN ST. ROSSLYN HOTEL ANNEX BUILDING

To the American Public and Those Concerned:

THE SCOTCH WOOLEN MILLS issues due warning to those we have in view that in future any sentence, phrase, or paragraph of any advertising matter emanating from this institution appearing in the advertising columns of any other tailoring organization without due authentication in a wanton and willful attempt to deceive the buying public at the expense of our advertising matter will be instantly met by the institution of both civil and criminal proceedings, and will be vigorously prosecuted to the full extent of the law with every means at our command. There will be no compromising a matter of this kind, as we intend to make an example of those who may be guilty of such despicable methods. Every premise made in this institution is made in the right spirit, and carried out to the very letter, and we are prepared to stand behind any statement that may be issued in our advertising columns, and we do not propose to tolerate for an instant the use of any advertising matter that may emanate from this institution by those whom we have just cause to believe have a designing and ulterior motive in view. The protection of our friends and the public in general, the guarding of our name and reputation are warranted issues that makes the threatening of drastic action imperative. We gladly tender our sincere and profound apologies to our worthy and reliable, well-meaning fellow merchants and competitors for the publication of this article. This warning is issued for the edification of a certain few only. Furthermore, any future slurring, insinuation which may be cast in any of their future advertising columns which carries with it a hidden meaning which is instantly detectible by men of intelligence who are naturally capable of reading between the lines, and which will have a tendency to reflect in any way on the nationality, integrity and character of this or any other reliable tailoring institution, ways and means will be found that will put a stop to such cowardly tactics. This is an intensely American institution, conducted by Americans throughout and based on American ideals and principles. We are American tailors true enough, but in making that statement we do not wish to create the impression on the minds of the intelligent American public that we are any more deserving or entitled to the preference of the American public's consideration any quicker than our worthy and reliable fellow merchants and competitors who are loyal American citizens of foreign birth. They are just as much entitled to and worthy your valuable consideration regardless of the land of their birth. Any American tailoring organization in the country as long as their methods are honorable and above reproach. We are not making our free-born Americanism an issue for commercial purposes, as we are not commercial beggars. Said alluring insinuation has recently been cast in recent advertising matter which we maintain is a vile insult to all loyal American citizens and business men of foreign birth, and a still deadlier insult to all free-born American men and women of foreign parentage. Thousands upon thousands of Americans of foreign birth and parentage, are already enrolled in our national army ready to sacrifice all and even life itself if necessary in the just cause of democracy which fully attests to their intense patriotism and loyalty. Let any loud mouthed braggart who makes one's nationality an issue for commercial purposes deny that contention. Drawing a distinction between free-born Americans and loyal American citizens of foreign birth who are willing to sacrifice their lives if necessary for our flag, the symbolic emblem of justice, freedom and equality, thereby making one's nationality an issue solely for commercial purposes and the more sake of gain and particularly on a small scale, is in our estimation, revolting and is beyond our power to express our contempt in words, and is both degrading and repulsive to an extreme. Every loyal American citizen of foreign birth, whether our competitors or not, who may be engaged in some commercial enterprise, is fully deserving of every free-born American's patronage regardless of creed, color or nationality as long as their business methods are honorable and their loyalty to the Stars and Stripes is unquestioned. And we are more than certain that every fair and broad-minded American whose natural characteristic is fair play and justice is only too well inclined to concede our contention. We are fully cognizant of the fact that insidious slurring insinuations against reliable tailoring institutions signifying unwarranted malice and hatred by human polecats for no other reason than that they as well as ourselves are competitors in this particular line of business, has the same effect on the minds of the intelligent men and women of Los Angeles and elsewhere as water on a duck's back.

This publication is also a precautionary measure in a sincere and conscientious effort on our part to avoid if possible any future disagreeable controversy that may accrue involving court proceedings which is naturally and extremely distasteful. But if brought to an issue a few unpleasant facts may be brought to light that will possibly startle and open the eyes of the public relative to a self styled tailoring king. We are staunch adherents of clean-cut advertising, we admire aggressive merchants, we believe in keen competition, but we do not believe in belittling and humiliating competitors and fellow merchants. Neither do we believe in accusing loyal American citizens of foreign birth who are struggling for an honorable commercial career and livelihood of being fake tailors even though they are our competitors. Those tactics are usually employed by rascals only and denounced and frowned upon by honorable men and women in all walks of life.

We sincerely trust that this publication will be taken heed of by those most concerned.

A. V. DALE, Advertising Manager.

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Patriotic.

SMOKELESS DAY AT LONG BEACH.

Tobacco Dealers Co-operate with Red Cross.

Smokers will Deposit Price of Cigars in Boxes.

Indiana Society Holds First Picnic at Pier.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Feb. 14.—Tobacco dealers of this city unanimously indorsed the proposed inauguration of a "smokeless" day each week in Long Beach, as suggested by the officials of the local chapter of the American Red Cross, and announced that they would support the patriotic movement wholeheartedly at a meeting today.

Several hundred dollars a month, enough to practically cover the current expenses of the local chapter, is expected to be raised by the innovation.

Red Cross "smokeless" collection boxes will be placed in all the tobacco and drug stores, billiard and pool rooms, hotels, moving picture theaters, cafes and other public places Thursday of each week, the cigar dealers decided.

The Long Beach Retail Cigar and Tobacco Dealers' Association has taken upon itself to promote the campaign, following the suggestion of such a movement by the Red Cross.

FOR RED CROSS.

Smokers are to be requested to deposit in the box an amount equal to that spent for a day's tobacco. A man purchasing a 10-cent cigar, for instance, will be asked to also deposit 10 cents in the Red Cross fund, or merely place a dime in the box and refrain from smoking.

The coin boxes will be placed in the hands of dealers each Wednesday and taken up each Friday morning. The following committee was appointed by the cigar dealers to co-operate with the Red Cross in making the campaign a success: C. A. Haslett, Clyde F. Harrell, Frank Perry, C. E. Fellows, J. R. Pickerell, O. B. Wright, E. W. Elliott, A. G. Kading, Harry E. Myers and Fred Fisher.

HEARING SET.

Justice of the Peace S. H. Underwood today set the preliminary hearing of H. R. Hobson, arrested yesterday on the charge of using the American flag for advertising purposes, for Tuesday, February 19, at 10 o'clock. Hobson, who was arrested on a high-grade misdemeanor warrant, today made the following statement:

"I was surprised and shocked yesterday when I was notified that the patriotic display in my window had caused any one to complain or think for an instant that there was any insult to any institution, to the flag or use that emblem for any purpose other than purely patriotic."

FIRST REUNION.

The Indiana Society of Long Beach held its first picnic and programme in the sun parlor on the end of the pier today. There were 150 Hoosiers present. The picnic and reunion was a success from every standpoint. Green and gold badges, symbolical of the Indiana goldenrod, were presented the picnickers by Mrs. Herbert F. Simpson, president. Over the programme, which included readings and short speeches by several former residents of Indiana.

Thieves forced an entrance to the Maxson residence, No. 44 Alamitos avenue, early today, and stole jewelry and clothing valued at $500 belonging to Ruth, Vera and Alta Maxson.

Silver Peak Ranch now open. Table reservations. Phone Pomona 992x7.—[Advertisement.

SCHOOLS CLOSED BY MEASLES EPIDEMIC.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 14.—When several of the teachers of the grammar school reported to Charles E. Bigham, school superintendent, that their classes had been reduced to as few as three and four because of the almost universal epidemic of measles he issued an order closing the six grammar schools until conditions improve.

Physicians believe it may be two weeks or longer before the epidemic is sufficiently under control that school may be resumed. Because of the widespread character of the disease no quarantine has been found feasible.

Silver Peak Ranch now open. Table reservations. Phone Pomona 992x7.—[Advertisement.

JURY DISAGREES; MAN PLEADS GUILTY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Feb. 14.—John Arselanian, a Yettem Armenian, in whose case a jury in the Superior Court had failed to reach an agreement, appeared unexpectedly before Judge J. A. Allen and offered a plea of guilty to a charge of manslaughter. The charge against Arselanian was the result of an accident in the village of Yettem, north of here, when Arselanian, driving his automobile at a high rate of speed, ran down and killed Mrs. S. Prodian and her 2-year-old son.

Arselanian's attorneys asked that their client be admitted to probation and this petition is under investigation by W. W. Collins, the probation officer of the court.

BIG REALTY DEAL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, Feb. 14.—Taking in trade a large farm of 209 acres in the Imperial Valley between Imperial and El Centro, Mrs. Hattie Pierce has disposed of her Colton property with the exception of her home place at Seventh and H streets, to Hoyt & Pearson of Riverside. The firm, in turn, becomes owner of a store building on West I street, three cottages and a half interest in business property in Tucson, Ariz. Arthur Pierce left yesterday for the valley and will manage the farm for his mother.

RAISIN GROWERS FILE CONTRACTS.

Drayload of Documents are Recorded—Fees Largest in History of Office.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Feb. 14.—From the offices of the California Associated Raisin Company were received by the County Recorder a small dray load of mail representing 1145 raisin contracts covering agreements signed by all Tulare county growers for the delivery of their crops to the raisin organization.

The total fees for the recording will approximate $2500 and will be the largest payment ever received from one firm or corporation in the history of the county.

WATER PIPES EATEN BY ELECTROLYSIS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 14.—The danger from floods from the Santa Ana River, damage from electrolysis and conditions of soil which rapidly eats into the steel water pipe, will make it necessary for the city to replace approximately 7500 feet of pipe east of Colton. The estimated cost of the proposed new main, which will be a thirty-sixty-inch line of reinforced concrete, is $27,000.

The present thirty-inch main which supplies the city with its domestic water, parallels the Pacific Electric railroad for some distance, and is being rapidly destroyed in places through electrolysis. Two years ago much of the line was washed out, and portions of it are being disintegrated because of deterrent elements in the soil.

The City Engineer has mapped out a new route for the big main, and specifications will be prepared at once for a concrete line and estimates of cost prepared looking to the calling for bids.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL MEET.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, Feb. 14.—The fifteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Riverside Presbytery will be held in this city at the First Presbyterian Church on Friday, March 8. It will be an all-day meeting with box luncheon at noon time. Speakers from the mission field and at home have been secured. The annual young people's rally will start at 6:30 o'clock with a box supper, the business meeting and programme following. The Riverside Presbytery includes the churches of San Bernardino, Riverside, Redlands, Ontario, Needles, Hemet, Elsinore, Beaumont, Cochella, Upland and Colton.

MIDWINTER Y.W.C.A. STUDENT CONFERENCE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CLAREMONT, Feb. 14.—On Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week Pomona College will have the honor of entertaining 200 college women on the occasion of the annual midwinter Y.W.C.A. student conference of Southern California. Speakers of note at the various conference assemblies during these days will be Miss Helen Fulton of San Francisco Y.W.C.A., field secretary; Miss Jean Loomis, a returned missionary from China, and Miss Helen Babson, Southern California student representative. Local speakers will be Miss Laura Squire, Miss Irene Beatty, Rev. Henry Kingman and Rev. A. B. MacLeod.

On Saturday evening the Asilomar banquet will be held at the Claremont Inn, with Miss Charlotte Neely acting as toastmistress. Special musical programmes will be given on Saturday and Sunday afternoons in Bridges Hall.

"Think of Pierpont Inn, Ventura."—[Advertisement.

ESCONDIDO MAN WRITES WAR SONG.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ESCONDIDO, Feb. 14.—Inspired by the fact that he has three sons in the service and is the uncle of two boys also in the service, brought up in his family, M. L. Howell, a citrus nurseryman of this valley, has composed the music and words of a war song entitled, "We Are On the Way to France." The song is supposed to be that of American soldiers, sailors and aviation men as they march to the aid of the Allies. It was sung for the first time in public at the Lincoln's Birthday exercises in this city, yesterday, by a male quartette, of which Mr. Howell was a member. It was favorably commented upon. In the McKinley-Bryan campaign of 1896 Mr. Howell was the leader of the Coyote Glee Club, which toured the State of Kansas for McKinley.

JOINT MEETING OF PYTHIAN SISTERS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOMPOC, Feb. 14.—The members of Mission Temple No. 69, Pythian Sisters who accepted the invitation of the Olive Temple of Santa Barbara to attend the joint meeting which was arranged recently for the lodges of Ventura, Lompoc and Santa Barbara were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McHenry, Mrs. Fulmer, Mrs. Jennie Dimock, Mrs. Walter Smith, Mrs. F. L. Frick, Mrs. Alice Day, Mrs. Mary Phoenix, Mrs. L. Jennings and Mrs. L. E. Hedges.

MILITARY DRILL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, Feb. 14.—Within a very short time, according to announcement made at this morning's assembly by Supervising Principal O. H. Jantzen, military drill will be instituted at the High School for the boys in place of the regular gym work. The training will be compulsory. Wooden guns to be used by the students will be turned out by the High School manual training class.

"TIZ" FOR SORE, TIRED FEET--AH!

"Tiz" is grand for aching, swollen, tender, calloused feet or corns.

Ah, what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet; no more swollen, aching, tender, sweaty feet. No more soreness in corns, callouses, bunions.

No matter what ails your feet or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "Tiz." "Tiz" is the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet. "Tiz" cures your foot trouble so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore and swollen. Think of it, no more foot misery, no more agony from corns, callouses or bunions.

Get a 25-cent box at any drug store or department store and get instant relief. Wear smaller shoes. Just once try "Tiz." Get a whole year's foot comfort for only 25 cents. Think of it.

HUNDREDS OF ARMS EXTENDED TO WAIF.

CHILDLESS HOMES CLAMOR FOR FOUNDLING LEFT ON DOOR STEP IN PASADENA.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Feb. 15.—"Babies are in bigger demand in Pasadena than are dogs and cats," said Humane Officer C. H. Kelly yesterday as he told how he had left the telephone ringing and with Mrs. Kelly made his escape to Los Angeles for the day to escape dozens of inquiries as to three-weeks' old "A.M.E." the baby boy found on the door step of the residence of Mrs. Horace Milton Mill, No. 109 North Orange Grove avenue, early yesterday morning.

But while hundreds of occupants of fashionable homes were clamoring for the possession of the mite of humanity, Motorman J. S. Jones, living at No. 856 Franklin street, proved to be the man on the job. On his late car of the Lake and Orange line he had stopped at the switch in front of the Mill residence, temporarily, and witnessed the finding of the baby. Going home he told Mrs. Jones about it and between them, although there was a secret place in their hearts for a baby girl, they decided to adopt the foundling.

FINDS HOME QUICKLY.

Early this morning the baby was taken to the nursery of Miss Jennie Myers at No. 248 East Dakota street, and with the permission of Probation Officer Kelly, Mrs. Jones went there after it. "My husband saw it first and we want it for our very own," Mrs. Jones said. And Mr. and Mrs. Jones will make formal application for the legal ownership of the child, before Judge Sidney N. Reeves, of the Juvenile Court.

Miss Myers describes the foundling as a mighty nice, strong, healthy baby boy who sleeps and eats well. He has black hair and gray eyes that are all innocent of the enactment of intensely human or inhuman circumstances which surround his short existence.

"We love it as our very own although we have had it but a few hours. My husband did not want to leave it today to go to his work," said Mrs. Jones, when seen yesterday.

Officers L. R. Culver and E. A. Chute, who investigated, found an ink blot in one corner of the baby's clothing. On examination it proved to have been daubed over, and when washed the delibe ink washed out leaving the initials "A.M.E." plainly visible.

SERMONS ON SOLDIERS.

Choosing as his subject, "The Cleansing Fires of War," for the morning and "The Angel of a Contentment," for the evening, Rev. Albert J. McCartney, D.D., pastor of the Kenwood Evangelical Church of Chicago, will occupy the pulpit of the Pasadena Presbyterian Church next Sunday in the place of Dr. Robert Freeman, who is now in France.

Rev. McCartney spent the week at Camp Kearny, where he fraternized with the men in all branches of the service and his two sermons are the result of his inspirations there. He will preach here the following Sunday also.

The Home Guard under Maj. Mulligan, will drill at the dedication exercises and flag raising at the Pasadena Army and Navy Academy on Washington's Birthday. An extensive literary programme has been arranged and the Elks's band will take part in the occasion.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

CASE STUMPS POLICE CHIEF.

Liquor Delivered to Back Door of House that is Half in Dry Zone.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 14.—A question that Solomon in all his glory never had to decide is now puzzling the brain of Chief F. W. Ferguson of the Santa Monica police department. Is the delivery of liquor at the Venice backdoor of a house whose front door is in Santa Monica a delivery of liquor in the latter city? Is the problem that stumps the Chief.

The houses that face on the south side of Marine street are bisected by the line that marks the city limits of Santa Monica and Venice. Recently dealers have been delivering certain cases and packages at the back doors of these houses, that if delivered at the front doors, in "bone dry" Santa Monica, would subject the deliverymen to arrest.

"This matter stumps me," said the Chief today. "We cannot arrest them for delivering liquor in Venice and it is hardly a violation of the ordinance against delivering liquor to homes in Santa Monica to move it from one part of the home to another."

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To Rotary Club.

"Ben" Scovell will tell of "Dodging Shrapnel in France" at a meeting of the Rotary Club at noon today at No. 741 South Broadway.

Magicians to Meet.

Wilhelm, the Danish illusionist, will be the guest of honor at a meeting of the Society of Magicians, this evening, at No. 334 South San Pedro street.

Our Nation's "Afterfathers."

"Our Nation's Afterfathers" will be the subject on which Stanley B. Wilson will talk to the Proximo Club today at noon at the Broadway Department Store cafe.

Veterans to Meet.

At an open meeting of Roosevelt Camp No. 9 and Auxiliary No. 5, United Spanish War Veterans, at No. 111 West Third street, this evening, Capt. Andrews Park will deliver a patriotic address. Following this the veterans and their ladies will enjoy dancing.

Short Story Club Meeting.

A public meeting of the Los Angeles Short Story Club will be held in the ballroom of the Gates Hotel, Sixth and Figueroa streets, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Julia Seton will speak on "How I Broke Into Print" and will read her latest short story.

To Visit Reservoir.

Members of the Engineers and Architects' Association will leave Seventh and Flower streets at 1 p.m. tomorrow, for a trip to the Chatsworth reservoir. Because of the continued dry weather, the water department is planning to put this reservoir in service, in a partially completed condition, within ten days.

University Extension Lecture.

The seventh lecture in the course on war problems given by the university extension division of the University of California, will be given in the Polytechnic High School this evening at 8 o'clock, by Bernard Moses, professor of history and political science in the university. The subject will be "The Course of Empire."

Recital at Girls' School.

The comedy, "My Lady's Ring," will be the subject of a recital to be given at the Girls' Collegiate School by Miss Katherine Jewell Everts at 8 o'clock tonight. The play was written especially for Miss Everts by Miss Alice Katherine Brown. Miss Everts also give the last act of Percy MacKaye's "Jeanne de Arc."

Artillery Band Concert.

The Coast Artillery band of San Pedro gave a concert yesterday forenoon at the Los Angeles High School. Patriotic music featured the programme and Miss Jessie Duncan sang "Over There" and "Keep the Home Fires Burning." After the concert, the troops paraded around the building, bringing the students to the windows by their music.

Commerce Chamber Banquet.

The Chamber of Commerce banquet at the Hotel Alexandria on February 22 promises to be patronized to the limit. Reservations are nearly all taken. Frank A. Vanderlip will make an address on "Save and Serve" and will give a graphic account of the successful sale of thrift stamps and also give a minute description of the work that the big men of the nation are doing at Washington.

Film Men to Give Benefit.

The management and actors of the Vitagraph Picture Company will give a dance, cabaret and vaudeville entertainment at the Vitagraph studio at 8 p.m. Saturday, the proceeds to go toward helping "Al" Wood, paralyzed as a result of two years' exposure in the trenches of Europe. Wood will be present in a wheel chair and deliver a lecture on "How the Germans Treat Their Prisoners."

Christian Science Lectures.

Free lectures on Christian Science will be given by John Randall Dunn, C. S. of St. Louis, member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, as follows: Today, at 8 p.m. in Sunbeam Theater, No. 4722 Pasadena avenue; Sunday, February 17, at 8 p.m. in First Church edifice, Maryland and Second streets, Glendale; Tuesday, at 8 p.m. in Tenth Church edifice, No. 526 West Forty-ninth street; Thursday, February 21, at 8 p.m. in the Masonic Building, No. 1956 East First street.

College Debates.

The first round of the college conference debating league will start tomorrow when the college of law, University of Southern California; meets the Redlands University at Redlands and Whittier College of Liberal Arts. The debaters who will go to Redlands for U.S.C. are Arthur Brunton, Stanley Ford and Newton Kendall. They will be opposed by Leo Seivert, Clyde Reid and Raymond Untereirner. The debaters who will speak against Whittier at Los Angeles are George Glover, J. B. Porter and Fred Sublth. Their opponents are John Winston, Teaney Howley and John Keppie. The question for debate: "Resolved, That During the Present War, the Federal Government Should Employ Conscription of Labor." U.S.C. will take the negative side of the question at Redlands and the affirmative against Whittier.

ARSON PLOT A MANO NERA JOB.

Italian Freed When Evidence Against Him is Proven a "Plant."

Justice Summerfield yesterday freed Antonio Damino of a charge of arson in setting fire to a house at No. 2202 Desmond street, on January 29.

That Damino was the victim of a plot of the "Black Hand" variety was shown by Cleveland Schultz, the defendant's attorney.

Damino was charged with placing so-called "Italian incendiary bombs"—demijohns with timed cotton wicks—in the house, with the idea of collecting on an insurance policy.

ANNOUNCE CANDIDACIES.

Judge Harlan G. Palmer and William J. Palmer, brothers, announced yesterday they will be candidates for election to the Los Angeles justice and police courts, respectively. Harlan G. Palmer has been one of the justices of the township court for the last two and a half years. William J. Palmer is a practicing attorney with offices in Hollywood.

Why Chilly Weather Brings Rheumatism

Says skin pores are closed and uric acid remains in blood.

Rheumatism is no respecter of age, sex, color or rank. If not the most dangerous of human afflictions, it is one of the most painful. Those subject to rheumatism should eat less meat, dress as warmly as possible, avoid any undue exposure and, above all, drink lots of pure water.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

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Gladys Nason Athurton, alleges in a suit filed yesterday to annul her marriage to Robert M. Athurton, that she married him through threats to carry tales to her parents and friends of false events in her past life. She says she left him immediately after the ceremony January 30 last.

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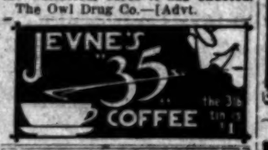

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TENNIS STARS WILL MAP SEASON'S PLAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Restoration of championships, which were abandoned last year because of the war, will be discussed at the annual meeting of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association here tomorrow to map out plans for the 1918 season. Some clubs, it was pointed out tonight by tennis leaders, were opposed to championships in war time, but it was expected this opposition would be overcome by the suggestion that all money derived from tournaments be turned over to the War Department's commission on training camp activities to provide athletic facilities for soldiers. Among the speakers at the meeting will be Dr. Joseph E. Raycroft, who will represent the commission.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 82 per cent.; 5 p.m., 59 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 10 miles. Highest temperature, 62 deg.; lowest, 49 deg. Rainfall for season, 1.08 inches; last season, 8.93 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The area of low pressure which was Wednesday over Nevada and Idaho moved rapidly eastward and is now central over Iowa, where it rapidly developed into an active disturbance. Closely following this depression is an area of high pressure, which is lowering the temperatures over the northern tier of States. This distribution of pressure resulted in wide diversity in temperature. New Orleans registered 68 deg., while at the same hour Winnipeg reported 24 deg. below zero. Rain is falling along the Pacific Coast from the Columbia River to San Francisco Bay, the latter city receiving .38 of an inch during the past twenty-four hours. Aside from interval of fog or cloud, the sky is clear in Southern California. The forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity is for unsettled weather, probably showers, Friday.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from orchards reported to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau yesterday are as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Bonita	60	44
Citrus	62	38
Escondido	61	36
Mt. Wilson	54	32
Pasadena	60	36
Pomona	64	35
Redlands	62	40
Riverside	67	40
Santa Barbara	71	44
San Bernardino	65	38
San Fernando	62	36
Tustin	65	45

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Unsettled Friday; probably showers; moderate westerly winds.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Fair Friday; moderate westerly winds.

Southern California: Unsettled Friday; probably showers; moderate westerly winds.

Sacramento Valley: Fair Friday; moderate northerly winds.

Santa Clara Valley: Fair Friday; moderate westerly winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Unsettled Friday; probably showers; moderate northerly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Forecast for Arizona: Generally fair Friday and Saturday, except snow in extreme north portion Friday; not much change in temperature.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 14.—[Reclamation Research from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 14.5 feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ADDISON—TYREE, Ernest Addison, 49; Emma C. Fehr, 50.
ALLEN—PANNER, William J. Allen, 58; Elizabeth Panner, 58.
ARANGUREN — MATO, Severiano Amarguren, 27; Mary Mato, 27.
ASKOU—SELMAN, Cecil Bascom, 25; Marie Selman, 20.
CANTERO — GRINTANA, Felipe Cantero, 31; Upsala Grintana, 18.
COLLINS—NELSON, Lewis M. Collins, 30; Beatrice Nelson, 18.
COMER—KENNICK, Alma J. Comer, 23; Marion J. Kennick, 19.
DALTON—MICHAD, Tressily G. Dalton, 20; Rose O. Michad, 20.
HALSTEAD—GRAHAM, John J. Halstead, 27; Margaret M. Graham, 26.
HARRIS—BAINLEY, Robert Harris, 65; Juanita Bainley, 29.
HELM—HOOBR, Samuel J. Helm, 29; Marie Moore, 27.
HOWARD—LOVEHD, Clarke Howard, 59; May A. Lovejoy, 60.
KELSEY — HALL, Harry B. Kelsey, 31; Magnus Hall, 28.
LEE—HAMLIN, George T. Lee, 33; Phyllis A. Hollis, 26.
MATT—HAND, John Matt, 23; Matilda W. Hand, 20.
McCOOL — CASTAGNOLA, Charles F. McCool, 29; Lena Castagnola, 18.
MILLIKEN—PRITCHARD, John M. Milliken, Jr., 20; Jessie E. Pritchard, 20.
CRAM — LA CREDA, John Cram, 50; Marie La Creda, 40.
PUTNAM — ROSSELER, Glenn M. Putnam, 27; Frieda Rossler, 21.
SHIELD—HOOK, John O. Shield, 29; Jessie B. Eaton, 19.
SPIEGEL—BROWN, Frederick H. Spiegel, 29; Elva J. Monk, 27.
TAYLOR—CRANE, Frank B. Taylor, 37; Bertha D. Crane, 29.
WEBB — MATTHEWS, Charles Webb, 30; Ella B. Mathews, 28.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BASFORD, Mr. and Mrs. Del, Daughter, Methodist Hospital, February 12.
BOSTWICKER, Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Boy, 1764 West Twenty-fourth street, February 11.
BOWER, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Daughter, California Hospital, February 12.
COONEY, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Daughter, 3227 West Thirty-second street, February 10.
FARLEY, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Daughter, Sunset Hospital, February 12.
FARMER, Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses G. Daughter, 4307 Monroe avenue, February 12.
GLEASON, Mr. and Mrs. Marcelle B. Boy, 1216 Manzanita street, February 13.
HAHAN, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham, Boy, 349 San Pedro street, February 12.
HEATONE, Mr. and Mrs. William, Daughter, 770 East Fifty-second street, February 10.
HILL, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Boy, Los Angeles Harbor, February 9.
JOHNSON, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Daughter, Sunset Hospital, February 12.
KRAMER, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Daughter, 381 South Daly street, February 12.
LEONARD, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah, Daughter, 1778 West Thirty-fifth street, February 11.
MARBURG, Mr. and Mrs. Millard F. Boy, Good Samaritan Hospital, February 12.
McLAUGHLIN, Mr. and Mrs. Leo, Boy, 433 West Fifty-eighth street, February 10.
OTSTEIN, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil V. Boy, Miles Street Hospital, February 9.
PRICE, Mr. and Mrs. George, Boy, Good Samaritan Hospital, February 12.
RICE, Mr. and Mrs. Milton T., Boy, Angeles Mesa Hospital, February 11.
SCANDRA, Mr. and Mrs. John, Daughter, 3540 Wall street, February 9.
SMITHSON, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian H. Boy, 1110 Euclid avenue, February 12.
TRENT, Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin M. Boy, 132 North Commonwealth avenue, February 8.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

CONRAD, Ethel against Karl.
DAVIES, Nellie against Frank.
DENNING, McAdoo against Elmer.
HILL, Emma L. against Nathan A.
HUFFORD, Hale against Boyd E.
LYON, Ida E. against David S.
POYLE, Myrtle L. against James.
PANABAKER, Grace D. against Guy F.
SCHAAP, Peter F. against Minnie V.
SETTLE, Mary L. against Thomas L.
SHIRLEY, Charles W. against Wilhelmina.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

ASHTON, Florence from G. I.
DUGDALE, A. T. from Dora.
FINEY, Pearl from Homer.
MANATT, E. F. from Nellie.
McBOONE, Elsie M. from E. C.
NEWBARD, Essie L. from R. S.
OLANDER, Jesse from Andrew.
PECKHAM, Marjorie M. from R. H.
SCHNEIDER, Ethel K. from W. E.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
SAXTER, Charles S., Los Angeles	50	Feb. 12
CHAPIN, Frank, Los Angeles	62	Feb. 9
COOPER, Edward, Los Angeles	53	Feb. 11
CROW, Andrew, Los Angeles	71	Feb. 11
DOMER, Jacob, Los Angeles	71	Feb. 11
FORD, Calvin H., Los Angeles	67	Feb. 11
GILLARDON, Carrie, Los Angeles	59	Feb. 11
GOLDSCHMIDT, Hugo, Los Angeles	67	Feb. 12
GROVE, Abraham C., Los Angeles	79	Feb. 9
HAWES, John G., Los Angeles	70	Feb. 12
LAING, John W., Los Angeles	74	Feb. 12
MICHELI, Emma, Los Angeles	58	Feb. 12
MIYAKE, Tokuyo, Los Angeles	28	Feb. 12
NOEL, James A., Los Angeles	59	Feb. 10
ROCKWELL, Francelia H., Los Angeles	61	Feb. 13
SELF, Annie, Los Angeles	70	Feb. 12
SPRINGER, Alba, Los Angeles	52	Feb. 13
TORNINGHOLM, Knud, Los Angeles	62	Feb. 13
VASQUEZ, Rodriguez, Los Angeles	42	Feb. 12
WILSON, Arthur, Los Angeles	70	Feb. 13

DEATHS.

With Funeral Arrangements.

ADAIR, At No. 940 West Thirty-first street, February 14, Margaret Adair, mother of Mrs. Adair and Mrs. Jessie Lee Adair and Mrs. Bessie Lee, aged 79 years. Funeral services at 2 p.m. Sunday from the residence.

BOETTCHER, February 14, at the home of Alvina Boettcher, 1 Lendner, Coss and Bixby Place, Pasadena. Funeral Saturday, February 16, at 2 p.m. from the residence, 1 Lendner, Coss and Bixby place. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

CARPENTER, February 14, at the home, 76 years, wife of Mrs. Achilla and Verel Carpenter, Emily Caroline Carpenter, native of Missouri and resident of Pasadena for 30 years. Funeral from the residence, 1 p.m. Saturday, 15 p.m. Interment Mountain View Cemetery. Pasadena. Friends invited.

CARPENTER, February 14, Lewis Carpenter, aged 44 years, husband of Mrs. Cassie Carpenter, and father of Mrs. Cassie Carpenter, an old resident of Los Angeles.

DE RAAD, February 13, 1918, Mrs. Jennie De Raad, aged 58 years, mother of Mrs. Ethel Hoffman. Funeral services at 2 p.m. Friday, February 15, at the residence, 855 Figueroa place.

DUARTE, February 14, Louis Duarte, aged 70 years, husband of Mrs. Rosalia Duarte, father of Mrs. Mary Duarte, Mrs. Rose Duarte, Mrs. Lucy Duarte, Mrs. Ida Duarte and Louis Duarte, Jr. Funeral from the residence, 1 p.m. Saturday, February 16, at 11 a.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

EDWARDS, At his home, 1 Edwards, February 14, 1918, Edward Edwards, husband of Mrs. Edwards and father of Mrs. Edwards. Funeral services at 2:30 o'clock, Saturday, February 16, 1918, at 10 a.m. Interment Inglewood Park Cemetery.

FARRELL, February 14, Peter Farrell, aged 78 years. Remains at chapel of Pierce Bros., until 2 p.m. Saturday, when they will be taken to St. Vincent's church, where funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

FELL, Jane Price Fell, widow of the late Dr. Edward Fell, mother of Mrs. Annie F. Durand, Mrs. Edith Kinney and Dr. Fell, died at the residence, 1 Fell, Coss and Bixby place, Pasadena, February 14. Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale, Saturday at 10 o'clock.

FREEMAN, In Los Angeles, February 13, Mrs. Ida Freeman, aged 58 years. Funeral today (Friday) at 2 p.m. from the residence of Frances Bradley, 1 Fedora street. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

FRENCH, Walter H. French, aged 58 years. Remains at E. S. Hall's Undertaking Parlors, 1220 South Grand avenue.

GAEK, Suddenly, February 13, Mrs. Gaek, aged 50 years, wife of Mr. Gaek. Remains at Bresee Bros.' Parlors, Pasadena.

GREEN, In Los Angeles, Oct. 2, 1917, Mrs. Green. Funeral today (Friday) at 2 p.m. from the residence of Dale Connell, 1 Santa Monica boulevard.

HELMAN, Accidentally, February 13, Max Helman, aged 50 years. Funeral services at Bresee Bros.' Parlors, Pasadena, Saturday, February 16, at 2 p.m. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

HOYT, Suddenly, at San Pedro, February 14, Mrs. Hoyt, widow of the late Dr. Hoyt, mother of Mrs. Whitaker and Mrs. Hoyt. Funeral from the residence, 1 Hill street at San Pedro, Saturday, February 16, at 2:30 p.m. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

LOCKE, At Santa Ana, February 14, 1918, Mrs. Locke, wife of A. Locke. Funeral from the residence, 1 Locke, Coss and Bixby place, Pasadena, February 16, at 2 o'clock.

MARQUET, In this city, February 14, 1918, Mrs. Marquet, aged 60 years. Remains at Bresee Bros.' Parlors, Pasadena.

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MEEKER, At Los Angeles, February 14, 1918, Mrs. Meeker, aged 70 years. Remains at the chapel of Bresee Bros., Pasadena.

MILLER, Suddenly, February 13, 1918, Mrs. Miller, aged 58 years, wife of Mr. and Mrs. Miller, mother of Mrs. Evelyn B. Bonnell and Mrs. Ethel Miller. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 1 Miller, Coss and Bixby place, Pasadena, Friday, February 15, 1918, at 10 a.m. Interment Inglewood Park Cemetery.

MOORE, Mrs. Moore, wife of Mr. Moore, 276 Avenue 26, died February 14, 1918, at the residence, 1 Moore, Coss and Bixby place, Pasadena. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 1 Moore, Coss and Bixby place, Pasadena, Friday, February 15, 1918, at 10 a.m. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

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SCOTTISH RITE BODIES.
PROGRAMME.

STATED CONVOCATION of Pentalpha Chapter of Rose Croix, No. 9, A. and A. S. R., this (Friday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Work in the Fourth degree. By order of the Commander.

WALKER, In this city, February 14, 1918, Mrs. Walker, aged 60 years. Remains at chapel of Bresee Bros.,

...City and Environs—California's Costa Rica.

Editorials—News—Business—Society—The Drama.

The Los Angeles Times

LXVIIth YEAR | FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 15, 1918.—PART II: 8 PAGES. | POPULATION By the Federal Census (1915)—319,198 By the City Directory (1917)—390,394

Serious.

ATTACK ON SOLDIER LAID TO ENEMY NEWSPAPER.

Council Committee Moves to Bar Their Representatives Out or Force Publication in English..

...SENTATIVES of any ..., magazine or periodical ...ed in the German or Aus... will be barred from ...t floor, unless all matter ...s is duplicated in the ...language. This determina... reached yesterday by the ...Safety Committee, which ...ent a set of resolutions ...ove the subject, to the ...s morning.

...e allegation is made in ...ment that the recent at... ...ainst on an American ...the streets of this city was ...e articles appearing in a lo... ...newspaper.

...mittee also recommended ...Council take a decided ...the question, favoring the ...ter to the United States ...ent of a rule that all news... ...publishing matter in either ...or Austrian languages, shall ...the same matter, without ...the same issue in the ...

...of the committee was ...ed of as appeal made to the ...the California Loyal ...ening steps to suppress ...publications.

...SPEECH RESTRICTION.

...ering the matter, Council... ...said he had made a ...ination of the Ger... ...daily newspaper ...ished in the German lan... ...and he was convinced that ...ld be cancelled to print its ...ns in English as well ...German language. Chairman ...Committee said the ...Safety Committee, ...approval of the ...District Attorney in ...pro-German pub... ...the matter also ...in accord with the Depart...

...that representa... ...Mr. Downs, and the ...German newspaper, ...the Council this ...ld against the adop... ...Committees' reso...

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...RESOLUTION.

...a state of war exists ...tween the gov... ...ernment and Austria; ...

...all enemy govern... ments have maintained, and are still maintaining, elaborate systems of espionage and sabotage in this country; and,

"Whereas, the California Loyal League, an organization recognized and commended by the Federal authorities for its valuable assistance in teaching practical patriotism and in ferreting out sedition and disloyalty, has filed a complaint with the government against the publication and circulation of certain daily papers in this city, printed wholly or in part in the German and Austrian languages; and

"Whereas, a soldier wearing an American uniform was recently insulted and attacked on the streets of this city by a number of Austrians, and it is believed that said attack was instigated or provoked by articles appearing in a local paper printed in the Austrian language; and

"Whereas, this Council believes that the most stringent measures to stamp out and punish acts of disloyalty and enemy propaganda in this country should be adopted and enforced, but that the enforcement of proper regulations to this end should not unnecessarily inconvenience loyal American citizens born in enemy countries:

"Now, therefore, be it resolved, that this Council favor the enforcement by the United States government of a rule that all newspapers publishing matter in either the German or Austrian languages should also print the same matter, without exception, in the same issue in the English language;

"And be it further resolved, that this Council henceforth refuse the privilege of the Council floor and committee attendance to all persons connected in any way with any paper, magazine or periodical printed in the German or Austrian languages unless all matters printed therein are in the same issue also printed in the English language."

DRUGGIST DIES.

Jacob M. Barman, prominent in drug circles of this city, passed away at the Sisters' Hospital Wednesday evening. He leaves a brother and sister, of Brooklyn, N. Y. For a number of years past he has been interested in a drug store conducted at No. 901 Sunset boulevard. Funeral arrangements await word from the East.

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...Trimming schemes, effectively planned and executed in braid, ...ons and fancy buttons.

...Some charming skirts are shown in all white, new plain colors ...of the most entrancing color combinations.

BLOUSES—Figures, plaids and stripes in dimity, madras, ...voile, batiste, crepe de chine, silk broadcloth, silk gingham, ...silk and georgette crepe. One must see these blouses to ap...preciate the charm of the new collars, new cuffs and new shades.

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...Low moment prices.

SECOND FLOOR

Have the Say as to What You Eat, When and How Much.

Here are five Food Administrators all in a bunch.

From left to right, they are Ralph Merritt, State Food Administrator; Paul J. Pitner, Pasadena Food Administrator; Frank Suffel, Mr. Merritt's local representative; Louis M. Cole, Los Angeles City Food Administrator; G. H. Welch, Los Angeles County Food Administrator.

FOOD SCARCE ON ISLAND.

Deputy Assessor Says Sheep on San Clemente are Dying at Rapid Rate.

John Lane, a deputy from the County Assessor's office, has returned from San Clemente Island, which forms a part of the county, and which he visited to make assessments of the live stock. Mr. Lane reports that because of the scarcity of feed sheep are dying on the islands at the rate of forty to fifty a day.

He found 10,000 head of sheep and ninety horses. It was also learned that there had been shipped from the islands 200 tons of hay, which sold in this city at a good price. Because of war conditions and the desire to conserve food, and also from a humanitarian standpoint, the alleged facts were reported to Ralph C. Merritt, Food Administrator for this State, and he is giving the matter attention.

LURED TO BANDITS.

Attractive Young Woman is Bait of Highwaymen, but the Trap Fails to Work.

Lured into an alley near Boyd and San Pedro streets by an attractive Spanish senorita, Harry Demas, No. 311 Anderson street, was held up by three men late last night, but escaped before they could secure his money.

Demas was approached by the young woman, who asked him to come with her and help her. Being very gallant, Demas did as she requested. She led him to an alley and was met by three men armed with big revolvers. He was told to hold up his hands, but instead showed fight. One of the bandits' revolvers was accidentally discharged in the fracas and the three men and the woman fled. Demas made a report to the police about the matter.

MISSIONARIES SPEAK.

Congregational Church Women are Given Talks by Workers from Foreign Lands.

The all-day meeting of the women of the First Congregational Church yesterday was notable in the array of talent presented. At the morning session Dr. J. K. Browne, for thirty years a missionary in the Near East, gave an interesting address on "The Outlook for Turkey," declaring that after the war the opportunity for Christianity in Turkey will be wonderful.

Miss Mary Porter of San Diego, who has recently revisited China, where she labored as a missionary for many years, brought tidings of Miss Bertha Allen of Pasadena, who went to Foochow two years ago to establish a kindergarten training school at the mission station there.

There were present at this meeting twelve missionaries, representing China, Japan, Turkey, India and Mexico, and the attendance was large.

Will Live Here.

THEDA BARA LEASES THE RANDOLPH MINER PLACE.

WITH the intention of making Los Angeles here home, Miss Theda Bara, the noted film actress, has taken a lease on the beautiful home of Capt. and Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner at No. 639 West Adams street, securing the property with all its sumptuous furnishings and appointments for an indefinite period. The owners are now in San Francisco, where, it is understood, they will remain for a considerable part of the year. The picture queen will leave the Alexandria Hotel, where she has been staying for the past two or three weeks, to take possession of the west side mansion next Monday.

The Miner home is one of the show places of the city and immediately adjoins Chester Place, its grounds merging into this exclusive residential park. The house and the gardens have been the scene of innumerable brilliant social events. The place, set back as it is from the boulevard, with its grounds screened by palms and shrubbery, was picked out by the Fox star as affording ideal restfulness and seclusion for her hours of leisure.

Expect Capture.

EL MONTE BANK ROBBER IS TRACED TO THIS CITY.

AN AUTOMOBILE ride to Los Angeles in the car of an Angeleno after his own machine had broken down temporarily, and his escape at Macy and Alameda streets after tendering a $1 bill in payment for the ride, were the last-known moves of the lone bandit who robbed the branch Southern Counties Bank at El Monte late Wednesday afternoon.

Deputy Sheriffs Fox and Nolan, after an investigation at El Monte consuming the greater part of yesterday, learned from witnesses that immediately following the hold-up the bandit emerged from a side door and walked to the opposite side of the street to a waiting automobile in which sat a man and a woman. The bandit attempted to start the machine, but it "stalled" on him. Becoming alarmed at the delay he proceeded in the direction of the State highway alone.

Passers-by noticed that a few minutes after he left the man in the machine succeeded in starting the motor and he thereupon climbed in and soon disappeared with his woman companion.

A. L. Ladd, with offices in the Lissner Building, was motoring along the highway when he was accosted by the bandit, who requested a "lift" into Los Angeles. Knowing nothing of the robbery just perpetrated, Ladd stopped his machine and took the man aboard.

VERY NERVOUS.

Ladd told the deputy sheriffs that the man was in a high state of nervous tension and kept shouting to him to proceed faster. Approaching a railroad crossing, with a long freight train coming down the track in their direction, the bandit ordered Ladd to beat the train's approach. Ladd did so, but he began to grow suspicious over the actions of the robber and jokingly remarked to him that he believed he was trying to escape from some hold-up job. The man thereupon laughed the matter off, retorting that he was in a hurry to get to Los Angeles in order to catch a train.

At Macy and Alameda streets the bandit told Ladd that he wished to alight, and, producing a $1 bill from his inner pocket, he tossed it into the machine, and, waving a good-by, disappeared down a side street.

Ladd declared the man was not more than 27 years of age, of muscular build and young-looking in every respect. He wore the latest-cut clothes and was altogether of good appearance and apparently well educated.

Although the deputy sheriffs refused to reveal further results of their investigation, it was intimated that a strong certainty exists that the robber will be captured soon.

R. L. Arnold, resident manager of the bank, who was locked within the vault after having been choked and hit a severe blow with a revolver in the hands of the bandit, had sufficiently recovered yesterday morning to give the deputy sheriffs a coherent account of the hold-up and a complete description of the man.

There is every indication, according to the Sheriff's office, that the robbery was planned in a cool, methodical manner and by some person evidently familiar with El Monte. The time chosen for the crime, just after banking hours, also may show that the robber has had some experience.

The lone bandit was noticed by several persons loitering outside the bank, according to the officers. He entered shortly before closing time, and, while engaged in conversation, relative to raising a mortgage loan, other El Monte citizens entered the bank, and, according to the officers, would be able to identify the man. He was described as of heavy build, with a carefully trimmed black mustache and well dressed. He used fluent language and was apparently a person of somewhat better education than the ordinary run of criminals.

WANTS A LICENSE.

The Co-Operative Junk Company of California yesterday filed a petition for a writ of mandate directed to Mayor Woodman and the members of the Board of Police Commissioners, to issue it a permit for a license to conduct a junk business. It is alleged that two applications for a permit were filed and denied by the commission without explanation.

STATE LAW VS. MILITARY NEED.

Shall Laundry Suffer for Helping Soldiers to Have Clean Socks?

The trial of Mrs. Margaret Slusher before Police Judge Frederickson yesterday afternoon on a charge of violating the eight-hour law by working girls in her laundry overtime, was postponed yesterday to permit the State Labor Commission, which is prosecuting the case, to file an amended complaint.

According to the prosecution, Mrs. Slusher received a large consignment of soiled clothing from the army and navy barracks at San Pedro, with orders to rush the laundering through as the men were leaving and the laundering must be hurried. She admitted, it is alleged, that she worked the girls overtime, and said that she would do it again, for the government, if it was necessary.

PHYSICIAN DIES.

Dr. William H. Thomas Succumbs to an Affliction of Eight Months' Duration.

Following an illness of more than eight months, Dr. William H. Thomas, a physician having offices with his wife, Dr. L. M. Thomas, in the Grosse Building, died at this home, No. 2557 West Pico street, late last night.

Dr. Thomas had been following the medical profession nearly fifteen years when he was stricken last summer. Specialists were employed to treat him at that time, but he gradually grew weaker until death came last night.

Besides his wife, Dr. L. M. Thomas, the deceased leaves a 2-year-old daughter, Lela Mae Thomas. The funeral will be conducted at St. Thomas's Church, No. 2857 West Pico street, tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, and the body will be interred in Calvary Cemetery.

WIRE SETS CAR AFIRE.

A break in the trolley wire on Fourth street, between Spring and Main, tied up traffic for half an hour yesterday and set fire to a trolley car. No one was injured. The fire was extinguished before it had seriously damaged the car.

Dodson Acreage.

OPTION TAKEN ON BIG TRACT AT THE HARBOR.

NEARLY half a million dollars and over 800 acres of land are involved in a real estate deal which was reported from the harbor yesterday.

The tract involved comprises 825 acres owned by Mrs. Rudecinda Dodson. James Dodson, Jr., a son of the ranch owner, admitted yesterday that eastern parties had deposited a considerable sum in cash as an option on the land. Mrs. Dodson could not be reached, but relatives of hers who reside in San Pedro expressed doubt that any sale has been definitely consummated.

The tract owned by Mrs. Dodson is said to be excellent agricultural land and adjoins the Palo Verde syndicate's 16,000 acres, in which Frank A. Vanderlip is largely interested.

Jay Lawyer, agent for the Palo Verde Syndicate, stated last night that he had not heard that the Dodson ranch had been sold, but said that it has been on the market for some time. It is understood that the option holders are Chicago parties.

Appointments.

LOUIS M. COLE IS CITY FOOD ADMINISTRATOR.

Welch of Long Beach for County and Pitner for Pasadena—Fish Commissioner Soon.

RALPH P. MERRITT, Food Administrator for California, yesterday appointed Louis M. Cole, president of the Royal Packing Company and former president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, as Food Administrator for the city of Los Angeles. G. H. Welch, insurance broker of Long Beach, was appointed administrator for Los Angeles county and Paul J. Pitner, real estate operator of Pasadent, for Pasadena administrator.

Mr. Merritt said he chose Mr. Cole out of seven names suggested to him. All choices, he said, were made on the basis of services already performed, confidence in them of the business world and time they can give to the service of the government.

"Mr. Cole was the only man outside of Mr. Guiberson, who was offered the position," said Mr. Merritt. "I have known Mr. Pitner and Mr. Welch through their services in the early campaign last September for food conservation."

"ON THE JOB MONDAY."

Mr. Cole said the first intimation he had that he was considered as a possible Food Administrator for Los Angeles was at noon yesterday when Mr. Merritt called him by telephone.

"I had a conference with him in the afternoon and after our talk I accepted the office," he said. "I am ignorant of my duties, but know that it is a man-sized job. Give me two days to get my bearings and I will be on the job with both feet Monday."

FISH COMMISSIONER.

Regarding the fish situation in Los Angeles, Mr. Merritt said: "All salt-water fishermen must obtain a Federal license before the first of March if they intend to remain in the business. In order to assist the fish industry and to keep a careful watch on these fishermen I will appoint before the end of the week a fish commissioner for Southern California. His district will be the Mexican line on the south and Point Conception on the north. This man will be a friend of both sides—the fishermen and the packers—and will know the fishing industry thoroughly. This is being done to assist in the development of the canning and fresh fish industry. It is an extremely important matter, owing to the rapid development of the canning industry in this section. Also because Southern California is at present receiving a restricted quantity of fresh fish. Much good has been done by the local County Council of Defense and we propose to use the data collected by them.

"The Food Administration will not attempt to regulate the price, lacking the power to do so, but we do propose to increase the supply of fish, thus lowering the price. This price will not be exorbitant, but will yield a fair profit to the fishermen."

Mr. Merritt also intimated that there was soon to be an investigation by the State Fish and Game Commission, and others interested in the fish industry, relative to the changing of the present laws in regard to the three-mile limit and restricted fishing grounds.

That the government will in the future curtail the number of candy factories throughout the United States, became known last night when the Food Administration gave out the following official notice:

"The government is opposed to any increase in the number of confectionery manufacturers, while those already established, prior to the restriction, are limited as to supply of sugar. Therefore, until the restriction imposed by the United States Food Administration affecting the use and supply of sugar to manufacturers in restricted lines is suspended, producers, jobbers and retailers of sugar must refrain from supplying sugar to manufacturers in these restricted lines. The Food Administration will look with disfavor on the establishment of any additional manufactures requiring use of sugar."

Friday evening there will be a mass meeting of all those engaged in the retail or wholesale grocery business, at the Walker Theater. Administrator Merritt and other officials of the local branch will address the meeting, giving in detail the latest ruling of the national Food Administration as regards the sale of foodstuffs.

RAILWAY WINS.

Charles E. Watson, a court clerk of Hamilton county, Tenn., sought to recover $30,000 damages from the Pacific Electric for injuries he sustained in a collision between the automobile driven by Police Detective A. D. Hurt and a trolley car in Pasadena, more than two years ago. The case was tried before a jury in Judge Myers's court yesterday and a verdict returned in favor of the Pacific Electric. Mr. Watson was the guest of Officer Hurt.

SUNDAY BASEBALL.

The Rathskellers and L. A. White Sox will play their fourth game of a series at McKinley Park Sunday. The first battle between these nines resulted in a tie, while the Rathskellers grabbed the second clash and the White Sox won the third. Joe Mendez and Lefty McMorran will do the chucking.

TRIO WINS.

Johnnie Powers, E. E. Klauber and Lee Chambers triumphantly defended their L. A. A. C. volley-ball title against the contending team composed of Walter Ball, Ed Kuster and Walter Ellis yesterday noon. The champs pulled through on top in two straight battles by scores of 11-4 and 11-7.

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BEANS CAUSED BEET INQUIRY.

Price of Former Went up, but the Latter Didn't.

Orange Man Gives New Turn to Sugar Investigation.

Expect to Conclude Hearing with Session Tomorrow.

The lowly bean, which, since the war began, has been soaring skyward in price with beef and bacon, was blamed yesterday for the sugar-beet inquiry which is now in progress here. Testifying before the commission of inquiry yesterday afternoon, B. J. Blee of Santa Ana expressed the opinion that the beet growers might not have become so dissatisfied with their lot had their neighbors not taken in from $150 to $200 an acre on bean crops last year, and added that the big clean-up on beans made the beet ranchers justifiably envious.

R. I. Hazard of Westminster seemed to share the same opinion. He stated that a great many ranchers of his acquaintance are reducing their beet acreage this year and going in for beans. He recited that his beets last year produced about six tons per acre, at a production cost of from $63 to $72 per acre, but admitted that the light crop resulted from poor cultivation, as he couldn't get help to thin the beets when the work should have been done.

H. J. Leovais, from the Santa Ana district, offered the most comforting testimony given during the day. He told of having grown 120 acres of beets last year; that his crop went nearly fourteen tons to the acre, and his production expense was only $39.85, while he sold the beets for $111 per acre.

HAS NO KICK.

"I have no kick coming," he admitted. "I counted in my labor at $4 per day and figured the interest on my land investment at 6 per cent. My neighbors sold as much as $240 worth of beans from an acre of land, and I would have gone in for beans myself, except for the fact that I didn't have enough money to capitalize a bean ranch. I am sticking to beets because the refinery is willing to advance me enough money to handle my crop."

E. L. McCumber of Buena Park also had words of comfort for the refiners. He testified that he had produced thirty acres of beets on land worth $400 an acre and that his production cost from seed to harvest was a trifle under $50 per acre. Upon cross-examination he stated that he had practically reclaimed half of his ranch from lowlands to desirable real estate by farming it to beets.

His production cost figures as follows: Plowing, $5; preparing seed bed, $5; planting, 60 cents; cultivating, $3; rolling, $1.80; thinning and hoeing, $8.50; irrigation water and labor, $4; plowing out, $5; topping and loading, $4.80; hauling, $3; seed, $2.40; taxes on land, $3; interest on equipment, 25 cents; replanting, $1.50.

REFINERIES HELPED.

R. Marshbank and others from the Anaheim district were on the stand and their testimony was to the general effect that at least a margin of profit was gained from the cultivation of beets last year. It appears from the testimony that poor seed, inability to secure laborers at the crucial moment and the hot weather in June cut a big figure in reducing the beet tonnage in 1917.

Nearly all the growers admitted yesterday that the factories had been assisting them financially in growing their crops. Cultural advice has also been given, they stated, and seed has been supplied at cost. In many instances the factories secured laborers to handle the beet thinning and harvest when the ranchers were unable to find hands, it was stated.

The hearing here will end Saturday afternoon. This morning at 10 o'clock the Chino and Orange county growers will be heard. Tomorrow the whole day will be given over to the taking of testimony offered by witnesses from Lompoc and Guadaloupe.

Owing to the fact that Judge Merle Rogers, one of the commissioners, must return to Ventura for Superior Court business Monday, and Commissioners Prescott Cogswell and John Perry have some personal business to attend to before resuming the inquiry, it is believed that the commission will not be able to open its northern district beet inquiry at Stockton until late next week.

MADE PROVINCIAL OF MISSIONARY SONS.

Rev. Domingo Zaldivar, pastor of the old Plaza Church, was advised yesterday of his appointment as provincial of the Missionary Sons of the Immaculate Heart, with authority over the twenty houses which the congregation conducts in California, Arizona, Texas and Mexico.

Father Zaldivar is a native of Spain and did missionary work for seven years in Portugal before being sent to the United States in 1903, coming at once to California. He was first assistant pastor of San Gabriel Mission and later of the Church of Our Lady of the Angels. He has been pastor of the old Plaza Church since 1915.

WHAT PRUSSIANISM MEANS.

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Extenuating Circumstances Found.

Mrs. Merriam Mills and "Junior" Mills.

Arrested; Released.

AVIATOR'S WIFE PASSES BAD CHECKS FOR BABIES.

WHILE her two little children played with a pair of handcuffs on the floor of the room at the Police Staton late yesterdal afternoon, Mrs. Merriam Mills of No. 1882 Los Robles avenue, Pasadena, told the detectives that she had been passing bad checks for seven months in order that her children might have food and clothing.

Mrs. Mills was arrested yesterday afternoon in Pasadena at her home by Detectives Dehrfinger and Jackson, of the Nick Harris Agency, assisted by Pasadena police officers. She was taken to Central Police Station in this city. A long-distance telephone call had been received from a brother-in-law, a manufacturer of airplanes in Washington, and she was released on her own recognizance.

"I didn't really write bad checks," said the mother, as she fondled her youngest child, Junior, aged 22 months. "I believed I had the money in the bank. I did have an account and when my funds ran low, I received no notice that I was without money from the bank.

"The first checks which were returned were written in Ocean Park, where I had gone after my husband, G. P. Mills, had enlisted in the Aviation Corps. He is now a student at Berkeley. Several times I started to write and tell him of my trouble, but I feared that it would cause him to leave the work he had chosen and come to my aid. I wanted him to feel that he had done his duty by his country. I am not a native of America, and I did not want people to feel that, though I have adopted this country as my own, I would call my husband to me, rather than let him fight for the land we live in.

"In August I moved to Pasadena with my two little children, and there I endeavored to secure work that I might make good the bad checks that had been returned at the beach. I speak French, German and Spanish, and I tried to get work teaching some of these languages. I was unsuccessful. Added to that, I was persecuted as a German spy, because I had been overheard by a neighbor speaking to my own child in German. The case was dropped, of course, and then I tried nursing.

"I despaired of ever getting work that I might support my children, and each time when I had no money I was forced to cash a check, or write one in payment for food and clothing. I passed several checks, all of them small, for clothing, in various department stores, for my children. I did not wear a single article secured by means of checks, myself, all that I did was to eat food that I had bought with the checks. I thought I had the money."

According to the detectives, her brother-in-law telegraphed last night that he will make good all of the checks Mrs. Mills passed, which total about $120.

Mrs. Mills was returned to her home in Pasadena last night by the detectives, and given sufficient funds to tide her through until she receives money from elsewhere.

GLAD OF ARREST AS DRUG CURE MEANS.

Charged with violating the State poison law, Mrs. Lulu Sallars and Harry Wilson, alias A. W. Carroll, were arrested yesterday by Detectives O'Brien, Kirby and Jones, at Eighth and Hill streets.

Mrs. Sallars told the police that she was glad she had been arrested, as she felt she would be sent to an institution where she would be cured of the drug habit. She said she had fought the affliction for fifteen years.

BROTHERS SORRY THEY STOLE, ASK PROBATION.

"I can't tell why I did it," said Irving Tweedy, who, with his brother Le Roy, confessed to stealing an automobile from Esther Rainbelt on January 8. Because of the past good reputation of the lads and their family connections Judge McCormick permitted an application for probation to be filed, which will be heard on February 21.

The brothers stated they sold the machine to a man and three hours later, when overtaken by conscience, they returned the money and got back the automobile. On learning the police were searching for them they gave themselves up.

TWENTY-SECOND TIME ON TABLE.

Los Angeles High School Student has Leg that Won't "Stay Put."

His twenty-second operation in three years is the unusual experience of Reginald Vaughan, a Los Angeles High School student, who had part of the bone of his right leg grafted into the left at the California Hospital, yesterday.

The bone in Mr. Vaughan's left leg was severely fractured seven years ago when he fell through the ice while skating in Wisconsin. Later he was the victim of an automobile accident here, three years ago, when his leg was broken at the same place as before, with the result that the bone became infected. Since then he has had numerous operations, but without receiving any marked benefit.

Mr. Vaughan is now a student at the Los Angeles High School, where he was editor of the handbook which was recently published by the newspaper classes, and last semester was exchange editor of the Blue and White, the school weekly.

Dramatic.

STAGE TRAGEDY BEFORE COURT.

Re-enact Shooting of Woman in Insurance Suit.

Defense Charges Her Death was not Accidental.

Seek to Evade the Payment of Big Sum to Husband.

A judicial staging of the shooting of Mrs. Hilda Throop, September 13, 1916, took place yesterday afternoon near Wineville. The purpose was to familiarize Judge Dehy with the environment. The information will be utilized during the trial of the suit of Charles B. Throop, the husband, to recover from the Western Indemnity Company, $12,000 covering two policies on the life of Mrs. Throop.

The insurance companies, through Attorney Duke Stone, claim that the shooting of Mrs. Throop was not accidental as Mr. Throop says, but "on information and belief," it was intentional on his part. To support this hypothesis, Mr. Stone cross-examined both Mr. Throop and his sister, Mrs. Hazel Hedrick, yesterday along sensational lines.

He asked Mrs. Hedrick if she knew that her brother had taken out $30,000 accident insurance on Mrs. Throop, a few days before the shooting. She said she did not.

SISTER TESTIFIES.

Didn't you know that your brother tried to divorce his wife?"

The reply was that their relations had always been pleasant as far as she knew.

"Didn't you know that the woman your brother married after his wife's death was referred to by members of the family as his soul mate?"

"No," replied Mrs. Hedrick.

"Didn't you say the day following Mrs. Throop's death that your brother had married beneath him?"

This was also denied.

Mrs. Hedrick was not an eye-witness of the shooting. She testified that she asked her brother to move the three guns which had been placed on the back porch of the house which was the home of his parents. Mr. Throop went out on the back porch, Mrs. Throop following him. She heard the remark:

TELLS OF SHOOTING.

"You can't go hunting until you wash the dishes."

She heard her brother say:

"Don't do that."

Then came the report of a gun. At this time she was shot. Mrs. Throop was laughing, Mrs. Hedrick says. There was no ill-feeling.

Mr. Throop testified that when his sister asked him to move the guns so that she could enter the adobe house, so-called, he started to unload them. He had the 16-gauge gun in his hand. His wife seized the gun, there was an explosion and Mr. Throop says he caught his wife as she fell. The ball passed near her heart, killing her instantly.

He said his wife was laughing at the time and died with a smile on her face.

"I looked at her and did not realize that she was dead."

The trial will be resumed today.

TWO ARE BANKRUPT.

The A. B. Snow Lumber Company of Long Beach, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court, yesterday. The liabilities of the concern are given as $17,770.46, and the assets as $17,746.96, of which $8831.71 is amounts due on open accounts. Clarence C. Cameron, a salesman of this city, owes $10,875.25, and can only muster assets of $125, covering the value of his clothes, to pay his debts, according to a petition filed in the same court, yesterday.

ARIZONAN ROBBED.

Benjamin Forrell of Kingman, Ariz., reported to the police yesterday that he had been robbed of $88 by two men near the Plaza on Wednesday night.

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...and Mrs. C. R. Luton of No. ...Gramercy Place entertained ...them yesterday for twenty... ...Canadian folks at Long Beach ...from Hamilton, Aylmer and ...towns in the Province of On... ...Covers marked places for ...and Mmes. Benjamin Marlett, ...Marlett, Murray Farthing, ...Roger, William Schilling, and ...Jamieson, Mmes. E. Smith... ...wife of a Canadian colonel in ...Mr. Berry, Catherine Lyon ...Arthur Moore, Misses Edna ...Hollis Farthing, Ruth ...and Edna Lyon, Dr. C. W. ...Dr. Robert Stevenson, New... ...Fuller and "Pap" Booker.

...Ball at the Gajos.

...Fairies and Enchantress ...adorned the table at a ...appointed dinner at ... Audrey Wellington, ...at Holtville entertained at ...Gate Hotel last evening. Mrs. ...Van Graham, president of ...Woman's City Club, was" the ...hostess, and covers marked places ...a dozen guests.

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...upon the eve of her leaving for ...Princeton, Mrs. Hunter Liggett, ...Jr., gave a dance tonight with Mrs. D. ...Bacon Kellogg Bay, with ...Mrs. Liggett, entertained at a theater and dinner party ...ing for Misses Mmes. Willits ...Hollis, Samuel Hodge, John Fred... ...Jr., and John Willis Baer. While ...in San Francisco, Mrs. Liggett will ...at the St. Francis Hotel and will ...entertained by Mr. and Mrs. ...Spreckels Phelps, the latter ...a daughter of Gen. and Mrs. ...Grant, who were intimate friends ...Washington of the Liggetts. Gen. ...people as well as ...

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St. Valentine's Ball.

The fourth annual Valentine Ball given by the Ocean Park Club last evening, marked one of the most elaborate and beautiful affairs which the club has heretofore sponsored. Many Los Angeles as well as beach society people were there.

Mrs. Bretherton.

Mrs. George Kellogg Bretherton, is planning an elaborate social affair for Wednesday evening, Feburary 20th, when she will present Miss Stella Thomas Deshon in song recital. Many prominent society people as well as artists are expected to be there. For the event the ballroom of the Hotel Alexandria will be elaborately decorated. Miss Deshon will be assisted by Cornelia Rider Poser, pianist; Hermann Seidel, violinist, Miss Ann Mellon, accompanist and Chevalier Fulgenzio Guerrieri.

Card Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Havis entertained members of the Home Social Club at a card party at their home in Fifty-third street. Among their guests were Messrs. and Mmes. Mack Berenswelg, Al. Liberman, Mack Brenswelg, A. P. Stone, Mrs. Dora Krauss, Mrs. Max Abrams of Los Angeles and Mrs. I. Kanicroff of New York City. Mrs. Mack Berenzweig will be hostess for the club next week.

Dinner Parties.

Preceding the performance of the amateur players at the Gamut Club tomorrow evening, numerous dinner parties will be given by those taking part and others who will attend. Mrs. Horace B. Wing is having a party for dinner at her home and Mrs. Wiley Wells is to have a number of her friends to dinner at the Darby Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. William Dodd are entertaining for Mr. and Mrs. Cecil De Mille. In between the two plays, a moving picture play called "Pity the Blind" in which Mrs. Samuel Storrow and Mrs. Ralph Williams, Willoughby Rodman, Tom Ridgeway and Douglas Gerard take part will be flashed on the screen. The first play, which is a Russian sketch and quite dramatic will give opportunity to W. Carey Marble and Roy Pinkham to display their ability. The third play "1918," a satire by William De Mille, will be given by Harrison Ford, Mrs. Daniel Goodwin and Miss Letta Sunderland. The proceeds will go to the Red Cross and to help the Drama League which is doing splendid work in the cantonments.

Off to Honolulu and Australia.

A large party of Los Angeles people sailed from San Francisco Tuesday on the Oceanic liner, Sonoma, for Honolulu and Australia. Among the number were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crabtree, Mrs. Laura Ryan and her children, Miss Hazel Cox, Messrs. and Mmes. J. McNeill, Frank Fuller, A. J. Jackson, W. B. Palmer, L. J. Applegath, J. M. Sawyer, C. D. Wayne, William Johnson, Leon Jacobs, L. C. Judd, W. F. Rosensteel, A. Schuck, Mmes. Earl MacGuiness, B. E. Chase, C. M. Booth, J. Lehrfeld, K. Hoehn, William Schwind, Jessie Eggleston; Misses Lilly Hilson, Alfriede H. Klug, Jessie R. Johnston, Mabel H. Johnston, Josephine Twombly, Gertrude Lehrfeld, Helen Schuck, Adeline Lowe, Elizabeth Cartmel, and Messrs. W. Crasford, C. B. Hall, M. F. Steele, W. S. Booth, S. Wrenn, Barney Nelson, A. J. Johnston, and John E. Huey.

Birthday Dinner.

In celebration of her eighty-eighth birthday, Mrs. T. E. Hayward, the oldest resident guest at the Westlake Hotel, entertained last evening at a dinner party. Sharing honors with Mrs. Hayward, was little Georgia June Weller, youngest guest at the hotel who celebrated her third birthday. A huge birthday cake, bearing eighty-eight lighted tapers was one of the features of the feast. Covers marked places for Messrs. and Mmes. L. R. Hayward, C. A. Hayward, H. T. Hayward, G. R. Taylor, F. H. Dill and Miss Grace Hayward.

Roberts-Mullins Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Mary Louise Roberts and James Monroe Mullins was solemnized by Father Wickerman of St. Michael's Church, Monday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Roberts of West Athens. Miss Ida May Adams, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor and Miss Ruth Thompson played the wedding music. A buffet supper followed the nuptials.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stephens Chase of Columbus, O., whose winter home is in Alhambra, left here yesterday for Washington, for their credentials, before leaving for Italy, where they are to be in the government service. Mr. and Mrs. Chase have spent so much time abroad, especially in Italy, that they are peculiarly fitted to fill their important new position.

Mrs. Thomas Hartigan, wife of Gen. Hartigan of Manila and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert H. Hartigan, are among the many distinguished visitors here for the winter. They have taken a house, at No. 5044 Maplewood avenue, and are spending their time very quietly.

Dr. and Mrs. John Kirkpatrick and their daughter, Miss Katherine Kirkpatrick, are at Hotel del Coronado for an indefinate stay. Mrs. Walter Vail and Miss Mary E. Vail also motored down for an extended visit.

Lieut. W. J. E. Rigby of the British Army, who is here on sick leave has just returned from Beaumont, where he was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Strause of St. Louis, who have a winter home in Beaumont.

MUSICAL.

Appreciation.

ACCLAIM ZIMBALIST.

MUSICIANLY PERFORMANCE IS GIVEN AT TRINITY.

By Jeanne Redman.

A very musicianly performance was given by Efrem Zimbalist at Trinity Auditorium last evening, and brought to him a return of the great enthusiasm which his playing arouses almost universally. A very large house greeted him, and encored him repeatedly. He was in the mood for encores, too, for he gave several, and most graciously, and he took particular delight in them, quite obviously, for he had none of that air of martyrdom which so many virtuost assume when they are applauded at length.

His first and important number was the unnumbered sonata for violin and piano, in four movements, by Cesar Franck, whom Cecil Forsyth has called the "Godfather of modern French music." Zimbalist's dainty and eloquent talent, with its wonderful finesse and sensitivity, is eminently suited to the luscious and melodious music of Franck. Perhaps no other violin virtuoso before the public today, not even Ysaye nor Kreisler, is as capable of bringing out his suave and charming qualities as is Zimbalist.

Indeed, between this player and this composer there are undoubted temperamental affinities, and as a result the opening number on last evening's programme would alone have repaid any music lover's attendance.

The sonata itself is typical Franckian, containing as it does, an abundance of rich diatonic melody, and a sincerity which too few other composers, even those who are inherently greater than Franck, possess. Franck is at all times the conscious as well as the inspired musical scholar, and in everything he writes (he wrote very little, by the way) we feel that intimate concern with both the dignity and the high purpose of musical art. Franck is not a man of wide range, and in the first movement of the sonata there were easily traceable echoes from his famous D Minor Symphony, which the Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra recently played. The last movement, the finale, represented Franck at his best, and Zimbalist rendered it with a fine feeling of its beauty.

The very fact, however, that Zimbalist is so remarkably adept and sympathetic in his playing of such men as Cesar Franck militates against his perfect interpretation of such an entirely different composer as Beethoven; and therefore, it was to be expected that we would be slightly disappointed in the way he played the Romance, for although this piece is in Beethoven's lighter vein, it nevertheless has a vigor and masculinity which are somewhat opposed to Zimbalist's temperament. But we cannot expect one violinist to do all things equally well, and some of the things that Zimbalist does are performed with such consummate art that we can forgive him an occasional shortcoming. Moreover, he more than made up for his merely charming performance of the Beethoven, by the subtlety and loveliness with which he achieved the third section of the programme which included the ever-popular Paganini Concerto and the Sarasate "Playera" and "Zapateado." All virtuosi, it would appear, feel it incumbent upon them to play at least one selection from some past master of the instrument which they wield, and so, in accord with tradition, Zimbalist gave us last evening the brilliant Paganini concerto, and the Sarasate, which he played with admirable zest and skill.

MASEFIELD PLAY AT COMMUNITY THEATER.

A special arrangement of the second act of "The Tragedy on Nan," by John Masefield, will be one of the four unique sketches to be produced each evening on February 18, 20, 21 and 22 by the Community Theater of Hollywood.

The little Ivar-street playhouse has witnessed three productions so far, and each had been an unusual programme of playlets presented in a confident and finished manner. The next promises to be perhaps the oddest of the lot. It comprises:

"Manikin and Minikin," a bisque-play or poem-mimes by Alfred Kreymborg; "Pierrot of the Minute," by Ernest Dowson; "The Neighbors," by Zona Gale, with eight in the cast, including Cecil Irish, Helenita Lieberg and Caroline Diggs; and the Masefield piece, which has seven in the cast, among them Lillian Leighton and Helen Eddy.

Music, dancing and the appearance of well-known players and society folk in various roles, insure an interesting production by Miss Nellye Dickson, director of the Community Theater. Nearly all who take part live in the neighborhood.

SUSPENDS CASES OF TWO BOY BANDITS.

Judge Reeve suspended criminal proceedings yesterday in the cases of Richard Riley and William R. Dunn, alleged "boy bandits," awaiting trial in connection with the murder of Phil J. Metz, following a hearing in regard to their ages. The youths soon will be 17 years old.

The case of Charles Hadley, held under a similar charge, was also before Judge Reeve. He is only 17, according to his parents, but the District Attorney is contesting this. Pending further investigation, the case was put over until March 4.

FRIVOLS.

Hits and Bits.

GIRLS TO MARCH.

TRIANGLE STARS FORM DRILL BRIGADE.

By Grace Kingsley.

If you chance to see three score pretty young women, clad in regimentals, marching down the street with flags flying and the band playing, don't be frightened; they won't hurt you.

The pretty girls in regimentals will be the first company of feminine soldiers organized in any picture studio in the world. They will be the young actresses of the Triangle and to Josie Sedgwick, picture star, goes the honor of having conceived the idea and put it into execution. They are drilling on the big stage at the Culver City studio, under a regular army officer.

These pretty young girls don't expect to go to war, however, except by "absent treatment," as it were. The purpose of their organization is to give drill parades and exhibitions at entertainments in order to raise money for the Red Cross or other war relief work.

There are between sixty and seventy actresses at the Triangle studios, and all are enthusiastically enlisted in the enterprise, and the drills are taking place evenings, under the chaperonage of Mrs. Whitlow, the studio matron, who is tremendously popular with the young women of the studio. Included among the "soldiers" are Olive Thomas, Josie Sedgwick, Texas Guinan, Alma Rubens, Gloria Swanson, Clara Horton, Claire Anderson, Lillian West, May Walters, Mary Mersch, and many others.

"We girls all want to do something for our country," said Miss Sedgwick, "and we don't feel as if merely knitting and making surgical bandages is enough, though we do that too. So we thought out this idea of forming a girl soldier company.

"Our uniform? Well, we wanted trousers, but you know some girls can wear trousers and some can't, so we decided on short skirts and leggings, with khaki shirtwaists and cute little caps."

Johnny and the Duke.

Laughs from "Johnny Get Your Gun," at the Majestic:

Johnny (the cowboy) meets the Duke for the first time:

Miss Burnham: You don't know how happy we are to have dear William with us, your Grace.

Johnny: Oh, my Gawd, his name is Grace. Is that the Dook? He must have been an awful shock to his mother when she first seen him. Has he got a crown?

Janet: He has a coronet.

Johnny: Can he play on it?

Can't Stay Away.

The genial comedian, De Wolf Hopper, who will come to the Mason with the "Passing Show," next April, writes Manager Will Wyatt that he's looking forward to coming to California, the land of sunshine. "I want," said Hopper, "to return to the land where they have no weather, only climate, and where the sometimes river flows."

Not a Danceless Day.

The h. c. of l. isn't troubling that bouyant young woman, Kathleen Clifford. Wherefore the Balboa star will give what promises to be a most charming dinner dance at the Alexandria next Saturday night, when the most effulgent stars of filmdom will be present.

Everything on the menu except ham sandwiches and spare ribs.

Local Color Note.

William Farnum, at present in New York, is shortly to come West. He will stop off in Arizona, where he will be joined by Frank Lloyd, his director, and by the remainder of the company, and will make a picturization of the novel, "Riders of the Purple Sage."

Theda Bara is Godmamma.

The army will soon be filled with honorary officers who in private life are beautiful motion-picture stars. First it was Mary Pickford who adopted and was adopted by one of the Aviation Corps; and yesterday Theda Bara received word she had been made godmother of the One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Artillery, stationed at San Diego.

It is stated that the gallant One Hundred and Fifty-eighth attended the showing of "Cleopatra" in San Diego last Monday night, and the very next day voted unanimously that they wanted Miss Bara as their godmamma. Miss Bara has graciously accepted the responsibility, and today will send a carload of cigarettes to her charges.

Regan will Help Direct.

Edgar Regan, a well-known London actor, and lately of the Community Players of Pasadena, has been engaged by D. W. Griffith to assist Chet Withey in direction of photoplays.

Helen Gill Gets Flowers.

Helen Gill, one of the loveliest of "The Seven Chances" at the Morosco this week, wears a wonderful bouquet of rainbow flowers each night. A day or two ago she received a lovely nosegay from an unknown admirer, who wrote in the note which came along with the posies:

"What is your favorite flour?"

"And it was wheatless day, too!" said Miss Gill.

Back to the Spotlight.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew have left the films, at least temporarily, lured by the call of the footlights, where their first success was made. The voice of the lurer was none other than that of Richard Walton Tully, who will produce a new play by John Hunter Booth, author of "The Masquerader," with the Sidney Drews in the leading roles.

Ann Andrews Reports Progress.

The friends of Ann Andrews, the Los Angeles girl who was discovered by Richard Ordynski, and who was starred by him at the Little Theater in "Nju," subsequently making a hit in New York, will be pleased to know she is now playing a leading role with Arnold Daly and Virginia Harned, in Herman Bahr's satirical comedy, "Josephine," at the Knickerbocker, in New York.

The Barbary Coast in Pictures.

With the timely arrival in Los Angeles of a special print of the Rev. Paul Smith's anti-vice crusade picture of the fall of San Francisco's Barbary Coast, "The Finger of Justice," the projecting of the feature on the screen at Quinn's Rialto Theater has been made possible, and it will see its first showing in Los Angeles tomorrow.

It is a picture of a serious and vital nature, nothing less than an education of the public in the aims and ideals of the anti-vice crusade federation, formed by the Rev. Smith in San Francisco.

Crane Wilbur and May Gaston are seen in the picture as the leading players, John Oaker and Velma Whitman, both favorites here, have also been given important roles to handle.

Imposing scenes of the night life of the famous zone serve as introductory flashes of the eight-reel production, which serves the screen and public in one way, the justification of Mr. Smith's action in the northern city, when he closed the dens and halls of the coast, and, in co-operation with interested churches and city officials, gave the town a thorough cleansing. The church federation of Sacramento, and City Commissioner Edward Haynes of San Francisco, recommended the picture as fit and unobjectionable when it was screened in all the northern cities.

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CONSCRIPTING LABOR.

Charles Piez, the president and general manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, reports that 65 per cent. of the men employed in the shipyards are foreign-born and only 35 per cent. are Americans. "The Shipping Board has the necessary yards, the materials and the money," he said. "All that is lacking is a spirit in the nation that will send a quarter of a million American mechanics into the yards to give the best and most efficient work. The yards established are only working one eight-hour shift per day, six days a week. This is monstrous. If we are to keep ahead of the submarine we must run three shifts per day fifty-two weeks in the year."

Why not conscript men for the shipyards? They will be doing there no less a service than in the army and navy, and they will be well paid after having performed a duty that is a primal necessity of this war. The American Association for Labor Legislation suggests that the government provide the machinery and funds not only to mobilize our labor population for war strength, but also to make possible the reabsorption of the fighting men back into industry with intelligent vocational guidance and without confusion, as well as insuring the continued stabilization of the labor supply to meet the growing industrial requirements of the future. By the way, there are more applicants for jobs in the shipyards of Los Angeles than there are jobs.

ANANIAS VON TIRPITZ.

As a liar no man since Ananias can compare with Admiral von Tirpitz. In a recent public address he stated that "no German from the highest to the least important strove for this war or desired it," and that the war was "brutally forced on Germany to check her economic and cultural progress by England, which owed her prosperity to capitalism, while Germany owed hers to industry."

Such trifles as the burning of farm houses, the poisoning of wells, the enslavement of noncombatant prisoners and the raping of women Von Tirpitz regards as necessary incidents of war. He threatens England and the United States that if they succeed "in depriving Germany of her position in world economics, then the working population of Germany will be forced to emigrate to the United States, Canada and Australia."

The threat does not frighten The Times. We will have left a commission vested with power to exclude undesirable aliens.

CRAWLING CARRANZA.

Venustiano Carranza is crouching in the dust on his abject subsidy-seeking belly before Mr. Hohenzollern. He sent a telegram to the Kaiser on the latter's birthday reading as follows:

"To Your Majesty, who celebrates his anniversary today with just cause for rejoicing: I have the honor to send Your Majesty my most cordial congratulations and am pleased to express to you my best wishes for your personal happiness and that of your august family."

One of Carranza's organs, "El Democrata," informs its readers that the United States government is planning an armed invasion of Mexico in connection with Canada and Cuba "to assume the defense of the Gulf of Mexico against the threatened German submarine invasion."

There are people who will regret that the news published by Carranza's organ is not true.

THE CROSS.

Mrs. Alice Dodd, whose son, James B. Gresham, was the first American killed in France, has received from the colonel commanding her son's regiment the French "Croix du Guerre," accompanied by a letter telling of Corp. Gresham's gallant conduct. In this case the cross of war is a cross of glory, just as truly as was the cross on which the Saviour died. The cross is an ancient symbol and has many meanings, but perhaps the greatest significance of the sign lies in the fact that it is an emblem of compromise, especially since the death of the Man of Galilee. The cross is an indication of an unsolved issue and signifies a compromise between matter and spirit, between God and man, between justice and mercy—a compromise that is necessary until the children of men shall come into a realization of the unity of life.

LOST? NOT YET!

Alsatians in El Paso are refusing to sign themselves as German subjects in compliance with the order requiring all subjects of enemy countries to register. They insist that they are not vassals of the Kaiser, but loyal French citizens, in spite of the fact that they were all born after 1870 when Alsace and Lorraine became German territory. An effort is being made to have these men register as from "the lost provinces." Would it not be better to put it, "the stolen provinces"?

IT'S A QUESTION.

An order from Washington prohibits the killing of hens and pullets until April 30, the object being to obtain the largest possible supply of eggs during the early spring season. The poulterer will not object if the order doesn't result in an oversupply of both eggs and hens, which would materially reduce the price he would receive for his products while not lowering the cost of chicken feed. "Spare the hen and spoil the egg" doesn't sound very good to the poultrymen.

WORKERS—GIVE US WORKERS!

Discussion of the administration's agricultural bill in Congress last week revealed a significant defect in that measure; while it carried an appropriation of more than $26,900,000 for the so-called benefit of agriculture there was not in it a single provision to remove the primal cause of the present high prices and scarcity of food products—the shortage of labor. Congress is as timorous in approaching the labor question as it is bold in heckling executive departments of the government. President Wilson asserted in a message to the farmers of the country on February 1 that "The culminating crisis of the struggle has come and the achievements of this year, on the one side and on the other, must determine the issue. It has turned out that the forces that fight for freedom depend upon us in an extraordinary and unexpected degree for sustenance, for the supply of materials by which men are to live and to fight." The President emphasized the point that in this crucial year the fate of democracy would be determined by the amount of food produced in the United States.

Facing such a crisis, one would imagine that both the President and Congress would leave no stone unturned to promote bumper crops, that every avenue to production would be opened wide. But it is depressing to note that neither in the message of the President to the farmers nor in the administration bills thus far introduced is there a suggestion to repeal or amend that greatest of all barriers to increased farm production in the United States, the oriental exclusion act.

President Wilson informed the farmers that "At harvest time 200,000 soldiers are to be furloughed to return to farms to assist in the gathering of the crops. In some sections of the United States the wheat harvest begins in May, so that some of the men now in camps will be called upon in part for this service before going to France." Congressman Robbins of Pennsylvania pointed out the futility of the remedy proposed by the President. He said that Pennsylvania alone would require a greater number than the 200,000 men that the President proposes to release. The prospect outlined by the President is not a pleasing one to behold. July and August are the months when the fighting is to be fiercest in Flanders. Is it not heartrending to contemplate a possible break in the Hindenburg line through which an onrush of 200,000 picked men might sweep the invading Huns back across the Rhine, and to know that those men were harvesting crops in this country while the break was repaired because the Allies did not possess sufficient man power to drive their victory home? Such a break actually occurred in the German line at Cambrai in November, and there is something prophetic in the report of Gen. Haig that if he had been able to throw 200,000 fresh men into the breach a general German retirement could have been forced.

Congressman Robbins cited existing conditions in Pennsylvania, which are but a replica of those on the Pacific Slope, in the Middle-West and in other great agricultural centers: "Near industrial centers the men have simply forsaken the farms. In the counties of Westmoreland and Butler in Western Pennsylvania, which I have the honor to represent, the ordinary laborer at the coal mine is paid $5 per day; miners with a little skill and experience earn $15 a day; the boy who drives the mule in the mine is allowed $5.15 per day; in large industrial plants where munitions are made the ordinary mechanic can earn $10 a day; and although the cost of living is high, these liberal wages have attracted the labor from the farms, and only those who own the land now cling to it as a means of livelihood. The tenant class, those who work by the month on the farms and the day laborers have removed from the land and have gone into industrial employment. It is not a question of future speculation, it is a question of meeting the irrepressible condition that now confronts the American farmer and is driving him from his regular avocation. What will it, therefore, profit us to arm and equip one and one-half million men and send them to Europe and to have one and one-half million more men in training camps, if we are unable to ration them in the field and feed them while training them. If America has fallen down in her military preparations, in my opinion, she is about to fall down in her food production."

Mr. Robbins suggested as a measure of relief that a great quantity of labor might be brought over from China to operate our farms; but, be added, it is well known that "this proposition is met with opposition by residents of the Pacific Coast; they will not tolerate that kind of labor in competition with American workmen in the United States."

Right here Mr. Robbins misses the kernel of his own able argument. These oriental laborers would not come into competition with free American labor for the very reason, which Mr. Robbins himself points out, American farm labor is no longer to be had. Those orientals would replace 200,000 soldiers who could be returned to the training camps and sent sooner to the firing line in France. They could also replace another million tenants and farm laborers who have either been drafted or have left the farms for more lucrative occupation in shops and mines; and they could all be returned by contract to China as soon as the war ends.

The Times reiterates that Congress and the administration are bestowing too much attention on price fixing and too little on increased production. The fault lies in part with the selection of a Secretary of Labor who is wholly under the domination of the Gompersites. The only opposition to the importation of oriental labor during the war period comes from the unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. Gompers is the warder at the gate which bars the idle labor of the Orient from the deserted farms in the United States. He is a growing menace to democracy in America—an Old Man of the Sea on the back of the Wilson administration. If there is to be no increase in the number of farm hands, then to prate about increased farm production is either secret treason or open idiocy.

The President has sounded the warning to the nation that there must be increased farm production; the farmers have responded through their organizations that neither increased nor normal production are possible until there is a new supply of farm hands. Let Congress now assert its courage and its patriotism by so amending

the Geary Exclusion Act that the labor of the Orient shall, during the war period, cultivate the idle acres in the United States, render them productive and produce the additional supplies that are so vitally necessary to the cause of liberty and decency. This is the tide in the affairs of nations which, neglected, threatens the existence of all free peoples.

THE GHOST OF BISMARCK.

Forty-six years ago the struggles of the Germans for a government of the people, by the people, for the people were baffled and crushed by Otto Eduard Leopold von Bismarck—the Iron Chancellor.

Bismarck was an avowed follower of Machiavelli, and his purpose was to expel democracy and strengthen autocracy by a policy of ruthless absolutism in the government of the German empire. The Louisville Evening Post, in an article based upon the speeches and writings of Bismarck, said: "The Germany of Bismarck was not the Germany of Goethe, of Schiller, of Arndt or the plain people of the Vaterland."

For the non-Prussian German ideals Bismarck had nothing in his heart but contempt. He was of the military nation of Prussia, bred from its cradle to its tradition of arms and conquest. He believed in might as the main reliance of nations—and in blood and iron as the most convincing arguments for the people. To him the present Kaiser owes the establishment of his alleged partnership with "Gott"—to him he owes the propaganda of hatred of foreign peoples, which evolved the doctrine that "Germany is a nation entirely surrounded by enemies."

Bismarck was the greatest of the Junkers and rejoiced openly and avowedly in being one. In the republican days of 1848, when the German people were struggling to establish a constitutional government and Bismarck was a member of the first Parliament that assembled at Frankfurt, he sounded the keynote of his future policy and incidentally gave the German people to understand what he thought of the Vaterland sentiment. He said:

"The army has no enthusiasm for the tricolor [the emblem of republicanism.] In it, as in the rest of our people, will be found no longing for national regeneration. The name of Prussia is all sufficient for it. The accents of the Prussian national anthem, the strains of the Dessau and the Hohenfriedberg March are well known and beloved among them; but I have never yet heard a Prussian soldier sing 'What is the German Fatherland?' The nation whence this army has sprung and of which the army is the truest representative, in the happy and accurate words of the president of the first chamber, Rudolf von Auerswald, does not need to see the Prussian monarchy melt away in the filthy ferment of south German immorality. We are Prussians, and Prussians we desire to remain. I know that in these words I utter the creed of the Prussian army, the creed of a majority of my fellow countrymen, and I hope to God that we shall continue Prussians when this bit of paper that I hold in my hand is forgotten like the withered leaf of autumn."

In the early sixties Bismarck frankly outlined his policy to Disraeli at a dinner given by the Russian Ambassador. He said: "I shall soon be compelled to undertake the leadership of the Prussian government. My first care will be, with or without the help of Parliament, to reorganize the army. The King has rightly set himself this task, but he cannot carry it through with his present councillors. When the army has been brought to such a stage as to command respect, then I shall take the first opportunity to declare war with Austria, burst asunder the German confederation, and bring the smaller States into subjection, and give Germany a national union under the leadership of Prussia."

Bismarck carried out this programme without pity and without remorse. He rolled the Prussian military machine over the little unprepared German States in turn. He turned it against Denmark and grabbed Schleswig-Holstein. When taxed with recognizing a "son of the revolution" by his alliance with Napoleon III he said:

"It is true that we cannot make an alliance with France without a certain degree of meanness, but very admirable people, even German princes, in the Middle Ages, have used sewers to make their escape rather than be beaten or throttled."

Bismarck wanted it always understood that he did not make wars through malice or alliances through friendship. It was all in the Prussian game.

"I should be glad to fight against Bonaparte till the dogs lick up the blood," he avowed, "but with no more malice than against Croats, Bohemians and Brandenburgers, my fellow countrymen." The clear inference was that if the blood of his countrymen stood in the way of Prussian domination it would have to be shed, but "without malice."

And it was.

Bernstorff, when he was King's Minister, asked Bismarck's advice as to what action to take with respect to the Elector of Hesse who had insulted the King. Bismarck replied: "The fact that the elector has thrown a royal letter on the table is not a clever casus belli. But if you want war, make me your under-secretary and I will engage to provide a German civil war of the best quality in a few weeks."

Bismarck picked a quarrel with Austria and at Sadowa permanently fixed her place as a tail to the Prussian kite.

When the throne of Spain fell vacant Bismarck backed a Hohenzollern for the job. Napoleon opposed. The German Emperor sent a telegram to Napoleon, couched in pacific terms. Bismarck censored the telegram, cut out the "soft stuff" and sent it as a defiance. The Franco-Prussian War followed and at Sedan Bismarck discharged all his little obligations to Napoleon by relieving him of Alsace and Lorraine and a billion dollars in cash.

Many dwellers in Berlin are of the opinion that by this time Bismarck has Prussianized hell and has made of himself and the devil members of the firm of "Me und Gott." The Times does not share in this belief. It holds with the poet that "the Prince of Darkness is a gentleman," and would not fraternize with Wilhelm and Bismarck.

DID YOU EVER EAT A DURIAN?

My second day in Malaysia was almost spoiled by an attempt to eat a durian. Eating a durian, or, as is my case, essaying to do so, is an experience not soon lost to memory. Its achievement must be productive of a noticeable growth of ego. I often think how I should enjoy being able casually to boast, 'I have eaten durians in the East,' or, 'This tastes as good as a durian.' The durian has a powerful personality. It is large and green, not unlike a breadfruit, and it is covered with unpleasant spikes. But these, I am told, are no deterrent to the man or beast who has once acquired the durian habit—who, by complete suppression or mortification of the organs of smell, has succeeded in swallowing even a section of the fruit. It grows on tall trees, and natives will sit for days waiting for a ripening durian to drop. White children, once immune, prefer it to all other fruit; tigers will approach close to Malay villages, risking their lives to vary their carnivorous diet with a mouthful of durian.—[William Beebe, in the Atlantic.

NOW MAKE THOSE "NECKTIES."

One step has been taken, government grabs all the Manila hemp. Now for the prompt government operation of lamp-posts! We have waited far too long.—[Brooklyn Eagle.

HITS AND MISSES BY OTHER PAPERS.

Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, has accepted membership on the San Francisco Committee for Rebuilding Homes in France. This is a project that gives aid and comfort to the enemy by drawing money and support that should be devoted at this time to the one object of winning the war. It will be time enough to rebuild France when we have finished helping France to drive the invader from her soil.—[Santa Rosa Republican.

The scientist who has been predicting that coal would give out in six million years is in position to be amazed at the rapid flight of time.—[Jacksonville Florida Times-Union.

The War Savings Stamp idea is bigger than any amount of money. This country can raise a hundred billions if necessary, and then another hundred thousand millions of dollars. One single State in the Union could pay that bill.—[Washington Times.

The interest manifested by the Bolsheviki of Russia and the Bolsheviki of the United States in such violators of the law of this land as Alexander Berkman, Emma Goldman and others of their kidney is of value as evidence showing just what Bolshevikism is. As against the maudlin sentimentality that tries to invest the Leninesand Trotzkys with a halo of democracy which they themselves indignantly spurn we have this proof that they are apostles of anarchy, fit to associate only with criminals of the I.W.W. stripe.—[New York Herald.

Years ago the present Bolshevik Foreign Minister changed his name from Bronstein to Trotzky, and the chances are excellent that soon it will be changed again to Mudaky.—[Kansas City Times.

Not only the American flag, but the American sailor is to be restored to the sea as the result of momentous changes now coming to pass in the world. It is fitting that it should be so, for it matches the spirit of enterprise and adventure that brought the ancestors of the present Americans to these shores and that has resulted in the development of a country that we like to think is the greatest on the face of the globe.—[Portland Oregonian.

The Crown Prince wonders if he would be stoned if he visited Canada after the war. Our hope is that the Crown Prince will not be in a position to do any visiting after the war.—[Toronto Mail.

Germany merely asks as a basis of peace that she may be permitted to keep all she won and get back all she lost.—[Philadelphia North American.

There are some evidences from Berlin that Germans still imagine it is possible to scare the French and British to death.—[Dallas News.

Of course, you have your troubles and vexations, but think of the state of mind of Ambassador Francis along about this writing.—[Macon Telegraph.

No doubt Germany is sincere in wishing peace on earth, but she is less concerned for good will among men.—[Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Don't be too sure that Germany has given up her ambitious schemes for world domination. There are more ways than one of skinning a cat.—[Charleston News and Courier.

Anybody who assumes leadership in Petrograd must expect some nihilist to take an occasional shot at time. Such experience is a time-honored perquisite of the position.—[Washington Star.

Dairymen have been indicted but not for watering stock and corporations have been punished for milking the public dry. Life is complex.—[New York Sun.

It is comforting to learn that spy plots have been discovered by the Department of Justice, but—when do the hangings begin?—[New York Herald.

It is inevitable that the popular abhorrence of German treachery, butchery and debauchery will go to great lengths in anti-Germanism, but objecting to the use of the word "kindergarten" in America on suspicion of Prussian taint is certainly going beyond the end of the limit, as Helen B. Denbigh shows in an article in the New York Times.—[Journal of Education.

It is going to be awfully depressing for some of these fat-headed politicians when a pretty woman armed with her right to vote calmly demands certain things as due a full-fledged citizen instead of smiling at him and flattering him into granting her request. The "voter" will get far more attention than the "flatterer," but she will not be so entertaining nor half so helpful to masculine vanity.—[Baltimore Star.

Old Mother Hubbard Hohenzollern would like to get into the Russian cupboard. Just at present, and at least until another harvest, she will find it good and bare.—[St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Red tape might possibly serve as a bathing suit at Coney Island in the summer, but it makes poor winter clothing for a soldier.—[Brooklyn Standard Union.

NO LAWYER NEEDED.

An Atlanta lawyer tells of a newly qualified judge in one of the towns of the South who was trying one of his first criminal cases. The prisoner was an old negro charged with robbing a hencoop. He had been in court before on a similar charge and was then acquitted.

"Well, Henry," observed the Judge, "I see you're in trouble again."

"Yessuh," replied the negro. "De las' time, Jedge, you recollect, you was mah lawyuh."

"Where is your lawyer this time?"

"I ain't got no lawyer dis time," said Henry. "Ah's gwine to tell de troof."—[Oregon Journal.

THREE PICTURES.

BY JAMES M. WARNACK.

His blessed old mother kissed him good-by at the station. She did not weep. She had cried all the night before and now her eyes were dry and she feigned a smile. The strength of womanhood had come to her rescue, proving her worthy to be the mother of such a son as this. She was not glad to give him up, not even for a little while, for her country's sake—there was too much of the old-fashioned mother about her for that—but she was reconciled to his going and both glad and proud of the motives that had prompted him to enlist.

The bands were playing, but he did not hear them; flags were flying, but he saw them not. He saw only the silver-haired woman before him; he heard no sound but her voice. And yet so human was she that his voice was almost like a stab in her heart as he whispered, "I do wish Rose might have come, mother; I would like to have seen her again before leaving for camp." "She couldn't possibly come, son; the doctors forbade her to venture out for several days yet. But she told me to tell you good-by—and she kissed me and cried as she said it. You know I've told you time and again what she thinks of you, but you wouldn't believe me. You might have married her before you left. It would have been all right. She would have been taken care of, and——" "Yes, yes, mother, I know. I might have married her, but—well, you know we can't tell how long I may be gone and, if anything SHOULD happen to me, I wouldn't want her left alone—like that. If she loves me she will wait—and if she doesn't, perhaps it's as well that I go." "Of course she loves you, son! Oh, must you go? Good-by, my boy—write to me often. I'll let you know about Rose by next mail. Good-by—and remember—mother's prayers——" And then the tears came again—but he did not see them, for he was gone.

A small blue star in a field of white hung on a cottage door, while just above it floated a piece of crepe, that tiny cloud of sorrow that sometimes comes to hide the sun of gladness from the soul. Within the cottage sat two women, one silver-haired and dull-eyed, the other with sunny tresses and eyes like heaven's blue where stars are swimming. Yet from the eyes of both fell the raindrops of sympathy mingled with the dews of memory. Before them, on a chair, lay an "extra" edition of a morning paper. For a few minutes neither party spoke. And then the girl, grasping the trembling woman's hand, almost screamed into her ears: "Why did he have to go? Why, why, why? He was so good, so true, so clean and strong! Why did they single out the boat on which he was crossing? Why did God let them do it?" "I do not know," answered the older woman, almost coldly, looking straight into her young companion's eyes, and then she added, more softly, "but I am trying hard to believe that when such men as he leave home and friends and all they love and go smiling forth—to die—there must be a reason for it—and a mighty good reason, and that it is all for the best, or else—God is not just!"

Outside the cottage, a block away, came reeling down the street a half-drunken man. He was not a tramp. He was rather well-dressed and, had it not been for his leer and a few telltale marks on his face, one might have called him handsome. He, too, had known a mother's love—but never the love for a mother. He had been given a liberal education, but he had used the power of knowledge to defraud his fellow-man and to betray innocence. His person and property had been protected by a great, good government—but he had never taken enough interest in his country to take advantage of his right of franchise in order to try to make it a better land in which to live. He had killed everything good in himself, had broken his mother's heart by neglect, a hundred women with sunken, soulless eyes walked the streets at night because of him, and nameless children waited the passing of the years to curse him for their heritage of poverty and disease. And yet, when he was asked why he did not try to make himself fit for service and join the army or navy he replied, "My religion forbids it. I cannot kill my fellowman." And now, as he passed the cottage in which the two women sat silently holding each other's hands, he glanced up at the blue star in the white field and at the crepe, like a cloud of sorrow above it, and sneered as he muttered: "Huh! Another poor fool gone to hell! 'Service flag!' Bah!"

SAYINGS BEFORE THE WAR.

"Whenever you are out of gasoline, Hank, come over and help yourself out of the tank in my garage."

"Jabez, help Mr. Jones to some more of the roast beef."

"I'll send you over a couple of dozen nice fresh eggs from my place."

"How many lumps — three or four?"

"Some more butter, mister?"

"Light or dark meat? Take a little of both."

"You haven't eaten half enough, Mr. Jones."

"My wife never likes to see anybody leave our table hungry."

"Are you sure five is enough? You had better take ten."—[Brooklyn Eagle.

Some Order.

A certain Irish sergeant in one of the home regiments was exceedingly wroth when he discovered that one of his men had paid a visit to the regimental barber and was minus his mustache. He immediately went up to him.

"Private Jones," he roared, "who on earth gave yez permission to get that mustache off?"

"Nobody," answered Jones unconcernedly, "only I thought it would improve my appearanbe."

"Improve your appearance wid a face like yours," bawled the enraged sergeant. "If yez don't hiv it on again at the afternoon parade today there'll be trouble."—[Unidentified.

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—[George Morrow Mou tucky in the Washington

Subtle.

CALLS SOCIAL INSURANCE GERMAN-BORN MENACE.

Senator Brown Denounces Plan as Un-American and Hostile to Democratic Interests.

COMPULSORY social or health insurance, which it is proposed to put in effect in California, is denounced as a menace of German origin by State Senator William Brown last night at a mass meeting in No. 303 Mercantile place.

Brown summarized the social insurance plan as a Prussian autocratic scheme which has admittedly failed in Germany; a scheme that, instead of diminishing poverty and disease will actually increase these evils, he declared. It is an unwise and undemocratic scheme of paternalism that would devitalize the individual and breed fraud, inefficiency and incompetency.

The speaker showed that the adoption of a plan of class legislation which dictates that all the people shall be compelled to contribute to the support of certain wage-earners who ill, regardless of the cause whether it be vice, dissipation or improper living. He also declared that the plan would compel a man who chose to have one kind of medical treatment or none, regardless of whether he might have confidence in it or not.

"CAPITAL HAS FAILED."

Senator Brown, virtually the establishment of State Insurance, summarized the plan that would add millions of dollars to the burden of taxpayers, and then fail to accomplish the results sought.

"Capital has failed," the speaker declared, "to solve the problem of unemployment, and those who have tried this plan of insurance, said Mr. Brown, "and have withdrawn themselves from a giddy position, which only makes matters worse. Let us defeat the proposed amendment which seeks to confer upon the Legislature the power to create this visionary and confiscatory scheme.

"It will interest you to know that a few days ago Congress refused passage of a bill providing for a national social insurance commission, introduced by Representative Meyer London of New York, a Socialist; and the Massachusetts Social Insurance Commission has reported against and strongly disapproves of compulsory health insurance."

PRUSSIAN THEORY.

"The principle upon which social insurance proposes to operate is opposed to the fundamentals of American government and is based upon the Prussian theory of the absorption of the individual by the State.

"In addition to being of German origin and un-American, it is also class legislation. It is this because it proposes to institute a scheme of general taxation to the end that a particular class of citizens shall be provided for when ill and this regardless of the nature of the disease and its cause.

"This Utopian scheme will cost, according to experts, anywhere from $77,000,000 to $45,000,000 the first year. Of this, it is proposed to compel employers to contribute 40 per cent., employees must pay 40 per cent., and the State 20 per cent. From this estimate it will be seen that the taxpayers will have their tax burdens increased an amount somewhere between $5,000,000 and $9,000,000.

"STATE MEDICINE."

"Who is it that is so solicitous for the sick one and who desires to compel him to get well and who intends to present the bill to the taxpayers and compel them to pay it? Who is it that intends to compel tribute money from the toiler and offer him a single method of healing and none other, and this whether he believes in it or not? Who is it? It is our old friend the American Medical Association, popularly known as the 'Medical Trust.'

"Here, it may be asked what would the Medical Trust gain by the adoption of social insurance? Well, in addition to plenty of jobs, there would be gained a great step towards the establishment of State Medicine, the ultimate goal of the political doctors—a goal that they never lose sight of.

"One of the chief objections to this whole scheme is the fact that its provisions will not and cannot accomplish the results claimed, but on the contrary will produce just the opposite. The claim is made that social insurance will decrease poverty and disease, but let me show you how they will be increased.

WOULD CREATE POVERTY.

"In order to protect the insurance fund, the employers will carefully scrutinize the physical conditions of those seeking employment and thus those who are below normal, crippled or over age, will be refused employment and presently we shall have an army of unemployed with poverty and disease, thus to increase the burden of taxation.

"While what has been said about health insurance is more than sufficient to condemn it, this scheme is but the subtle start of an extended plan to imitate Germany in compelling the State through general taxation to care for the individual from the cradle to the grave.

"Compulsory social insurance includes insurance for unemployment, maternity, old age and death, as it has been well said 'once on the road we must go the whole way.'

THE STATE'S SHARE.

"The proponents of social insurance tell us that the State will contribute 20 per cent. to the insurance fund, but how about the State's share when State employees are considered? Here the State becomes the employer and pays the employer's rate, i.e.—40 per cent., making a total of 60 per cent. Again Germany during a period of twenty years spent $110,000,000 for hospitals and sanitariums. Where is the money coming from to build hospitals in California? Employers will insist upon medical examination of all applicants for employment. Who will pay for this?

"Counties, cities and towns will be compelled to increase taxes to contribute 40 per cent. to the insurance fund as employers. These facts, combined with malingering, fraud, carelessness, improvidence and immorality will create a burden of great magnitude and in the end will only result in making worse the conditions which the plan seeks to remedy."

SUES TO COLLECT SALARY OF YEARS.

CATHOLIC HOME DEFENDANT IN ACTION STARTED BY MAN-OF-ALL-WORK.

The life story of David Lachance, from his point of view, is told in his suit against the Mercy Home and six Sisters, on trial before Judge Valentine, to recover $42,525 for services performed at the institution. His alleged services cover a period of twenty-eight years, from June 15, 1895, to March 25, 1917. He claims that he arose at 2 o'clock to make the furnace fires, worked at the laundry machine, attended the baking oven, made the bread, worked in the yards and the garden, cut the grass, built fences and did general laborer's work.

The defendants in their answer set up that he came to the home and asked for shelter, promising to work about the place. An agreement was signed by which he was to be supported during life and have the use of a private room, all depending on his good behavior. The sisters took him in and cared for him. He would not work in the afternoons without extra compensation. He was allowed $2 a month as tobacco money, and from odd jobs outside he did he received money which evidently he spent for liquor. The answer alleges that he became intoxicated.

One night, while intoxicated, he became angry, it is said, snatched up a knife and ran at one of the sisters, threatening to kill her, and the cook. He was arrested on several occasions and the sisters put up the money to get him released. He attempted to stab Patrick Dolan, it was alleged. For using abusive and insulting language to a nurse, he was arrested. The crowning indignity was when he came to the institution one night with two tramps and took them to his room.

REGISTER MECHANICS.

Nearly Fifteen Hundred Have Signed in Los Angeles to Help Nation's Shipbuilding.

The total registration of men in the United States Public Service Reserve—the lists of men being created especially to advance the shipbuilding for Uncle Sam—last evening had reached 1405 for Los Angeles.

The Public Employment Bureau, at Franklin and Spring streets, will be kept open tonight and tomorrow night, to accommodate mechanics who are employed during the day, and it is expected that by this means the registrations for these two days will be materially increased.

Of the 250,000 skilled mechanics desired for this reserve in the United States, the allotment for California has been placed at 11,300, and that for Southern California at at least 5000.

"Minute Men" will go to Long Beach and San Pedro today to make speeches on the streets in order to stir up wider interest in this registration, and it is probable that other speakers will be sent to various other towns of the county tomorrow.

GUILTY OF BURGLARY.

Paul Hermkes, Who Tied up Two Hotel Employees, will be Sentenced Monday.

Paul Hermkes was adjudged guilty yesterday after fifteen minutes of deliberation by a jury in Judge Willis's court on a charge of burglary. He will be sentenced on Monday.

Hermkes entered the Hotel Leighton, and, after tying up the night clerk and engineer, went through the safe, taking a diamond necklace valued at $5000, a pair of diamond earrings and $100 in currency, all the property of guests.

He was alleged to have been assisted in the hold-up by a man named Fransel, for whom the police are searching.

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ACQUIT THREE IN ARMS CASE.

Zogg, Myles and Draper Don't Even Offer Defense.

Conspiracy Shown, Declares Federal Prosecutor.

One "Strung" the Other, Says Commissioner Hammack.

Following a three days' hearing, United States Commissioner Hammack yesterday dismissed the charges against "Gen." Nicholas Senn Zogg, Norbert A. Myles and Charles Draper of conspiring to transport arms into Mexico. The return of their bail money followed, and they were released. This was the second time that the three have been acquitted on the same charge.

It was expected yesterday that the defendants would go on the stand in their own behalf, but at the last moment this programme was abandoned. Commissioner Hammack ruled against the government's plea for the admission of photographic copies of various letters and telegrams that were found at the home of Myles in Hollywood, holding that as the originals could not be produced they were not competent evidence.

In moving that the defendants be dismissed, J. H. Ryckman announced that they would have no evidence to present to the commissioner. He remarked that, while there was no evidence to support the charge that the men conspired with anybody to ship arms and ammunition to Mexico, they might be convicted of "stringing" John D. Murray, investigator of the Department of State.

C. Shapiro and S. G. Pandit, of counsel for the defense, argued for the dismissal of the charge.

In opposing the motion, Assistant United States District Attorney Palmer paid no attention to the activities of Murray in the case, but claimed that the testimony of Charles L. Langford, the young chemist, was sufficient to justify the commissioner's holding the accused to the grand jury. Langford is the man who testified that he sought to arrange with Zogg for the delivery of a large shipment of guns and ammunition, and thought he had a buyer for the stuff in the person of P. G. Ferrer of San Francisco, who was recently arrested. Ferrer was not present at the hearing. Mr. Palmer thought there was evidence enough to hold all of the alleged conspirators to the Federal grand jury.

In deciding the case, Commissioner Hammack said there was no cache of arms, as alleged, and that the most persistent efforts of the government had failed to locate it. He stated that he thought that Myles and Zogg were "stringing" Murray, and was quite certain that Murray was "stringing them."

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR EARLY SETTLER.

MAN WHO ONCE HAD VINEYARD IN CITY'S HEART DIES AT HOME HERE.

Funeral services for Herman Boettcher, No. 705 East Thirty-second street, who died late Wednesday evening, aged 76 years, will be conducted at the family home at 2 p.m. tomorrow.

Mr. Boettcher was a native of Germany, but came to this country at an early age, and was identified with frontier day activities, having conducted a hardware store in Cripple Creek during the gold days.

In 1881 Mr. Boettcher came to Los Angeles and established the San Pedro Winery, which he conducted until 1900. At one time he had a thirty-five acre vineyard between Thirtieth and Thirty-four and San Pedro and Griffith avenues. After a time he subdivided the tract and sold it off into town lots. Mr. Boettcher also owned considerable stock in the Windsor Square Corporation.

He leaves a widow, Mrs. Alwine Boettcher; three sons, Frank, Lindsay and Reginald, the last of San Francisco; a daughter, Miss Cora Boettcher, and a brother, Charles, of Denver.

NERVOUS PROSTRATION

May be Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound — This Letter Proves It.

West Philadelphia, Pa.—"During the thirty years I have been married, I have been in bad health and had several attacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made a well woman of me. I can now do all my housework and advise all ailing women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will derive great benefit from it."—Mrs. FRANK FITZGERALD, 25 N. 41st St., West Philadelphia, Pa.

There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition, suffering from nervousness, backache, headaches, and other symptoms of a functional derangement. It was a grateful spirit for health restored which led her to write this letter so that other women may benefit from her experience and find health as she has done.

For suggestions in regard to your condition, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their forty years experience is at your service.

GETS JUDGMENT IN ACTION FOR SLANDER.

MAN WINS SUIT AGAINST AUTO DEALER WHO CAUSED HIS ARREST AS THIEF.

Frank E. Wright, former salesman for the Baldwin Motor Company, who sued James V. Baldwin for malicious prosecution and slander, demanding $116,000 damages, was awarded $6000 by a jury in Judge Wellborn's court yesterday. The case has been on trial for a week, three women being on the jury. Mrs. Clinton Sterry, mother of Attorney Sterry, was selected as foreman. The jury reached a verdict in a little more than two hours.

Mr. Wright was charged with embezzling a contract for a motor car, but the case against him was dismissed in the justice court on grounds of insufficient evidence.

While the examination was proceeding as to the bearing before the justice of the peace, Mrs. John C. Fahy, an attractive young woman, was asked if she had observed Bert Campbell, attorney for Mr. Baldwin, in the justice court. She said she had and she remembered why because she thought he was a good-looking man.

Mr. Campbell was sitting close to and in front of Mrs. Fahy. The reference to his looks caused him to blush. But when Mrs. Fahy was asked to look over the courtroom and pick him out, her eyes swept past the lawyer and alighted on Bailiff G. C. Blaisdel.

"That's Mr. Campbell," she said.

Mr. Blaisdel turned red and then grinned.

LESS DRASTIC WEED TAX LAW PROPOSED.

The Public Welfare Committee of the Council will recommend this morning that the weed tax ordinance be repealed and a less drastic one be substituted for it. It was stated that many objections have been made to the present measure and it was the opinion of the committee that a more satisfactory law can be enacted.

NOEL FUNERAL.

Rev. Baker P. Lee will conduct the services and Judge Paul McCormick will deliver the eulogy at the funeral this afternoon of James A. Noel, the late secretary of the Superior Court, who was killed in an automobile accident last Sunday. The services will be held at the establishment of Overholtzer and Sons, No. 1216 South Grand avenue. John A. Saxon, court reporter, will take down the eulogies which will be transcribed, embossed and presented to the widow, Mrs. Vera Noel.

INCORPORATIONS.

The Howe Rubber Company of California, incorporators, E. A. Sattler, C. A. Mullen and E. M. Reighard; capital stock, $200,000, subscribed $300. The Toll Gate Mining Company, incorporators, Charles L. Pinney, G. S. Holmes, Jr., L. D. Collings, H. J. Caldwell and Clinton Johnson; capital stock, $25,000, subscribed $5. The San Fernando Canning Company, incorporators, W. W. Reed, L. C. Rapp, Paul McAbee, George H. Rogers and J. I. Wernette; capital stock, $100,000, subscribed $90.

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THE SILK SALE—continues this week; buy all the silks you can afford, for silks are not needed by the government for military purposes; and prices are particularly attractive just now.

For 28 Years the Home of Perrin Gloves

SMILEAGE BOOKS—may be bought here, for the boys, and so may Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps; make it a habit to invest in one of the three every time you possibly can, as your "bit."

Probably After This Women Cannot Buy Zimmerli Knitwear

Because it is made in Switzerland, and has become almost impossible for us to obtain. For this reason we shall discontinue carrying Zimmerli Knitwear in stock; these reductions will hold in force until present quantities are gone, and on account of this fact, no garments will be exchanged and no refunds made:

Zimmerli Silk Vests

Imported heavy weight silk vests; high neck long sleeve; sizes 4 and 5; were $6.50, to be closed out at $4.25

Light weight; size 4; were $2.75, now $1.40

High neck, short sleeves; were $3.50 ..... $2.45

Zimmerli Wool Vests

Part wool; high neck, long sleeves; sizes 4, 5 and 6; were $2.65 ..... $1.95

Sizes 7 and 8, were $2.85, $2

High neck, short sleeves, sizes 4, 5 and 6; were $2 ..... $1.50

Sizes 7 and 8; were $2.25 ... $1.75

Zimmerli Imported Tights

Knee length; sizes 4 and 5; were $4.25, to be closed out at $2.50

(Knitwear; Main Floor)

Zimmerli Silk Union Suits

Heavy winter weight; sizes 4, 5 and 6; were $13.50, to be closed out at $9.75

Medium weight, size 4 only; were $11, now $7.00

Light weight, size 4; were $9.75, now $4.50

High neck, short sleeves, knee length; light weight; size 4; were $7.50 ..... $4.00

Low neck, no sleeves, knee; sizes 4, 5 and 6; were $5.00 and $5.50, now, at $3.85

"La Camille"

These marvelous corsets are designed on health lines, giving abundant breathing space, confining, yet not restricting the muscles; moulding, retaining too-abundant flesh, and at all times providing the maximum of comfort and the maximum of style.

The Ventilo Back is a feature unique with La Camille lace-front corsets; it produces beautiful lines and provides a circulation of air along the spine, removing the only real objection ever made to a lace-front corset.

Let your next corset be a La Camille; at Coulter's, $2 to $25. (Corsets; Third Floor)

Irresistibly Attractive Lingerie Made in the Philippines

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good"—from the war, women have come to learn that in our own possessions, the Philippine Islands, are made undermuslins as beautifully hand-embroidered as any that ever emanated from French convents!

And because merchants pay no duty on the Philippine products they can be sold more cheaply than the French; with occasional special sales, like the following:

Gowns and Envelope Chemise

Usually	Special
$3.25	$1.95
$3.75	$2.50
$4.50 and $5	$3.50
$7.00	$5.00

Hand Embroidered Skirts

Usually	Special
$6.00	$4.00
$8.00	$5.95
$10.00	$7.45

All in good size ranges.

(Muslinwear; Third Floor)

Fancy Bolivia Coatings, Special, Yard $5.85

These fine, warm and unusually wide coatings (56 inches) come in rich plaids and stripes, and will be much in vogue for sports coats or motoring; we have been selling quantities of them at $7.50 a yd.; the remainder will be closed out at, yard $5.85

Exceptionally Low Prices on Fine Black Woolens

56-inch Loopine; reg. $6.50, yard $5.00
54-inch Chiffon Broadcloth; reg. $4.50 .. $4.00
54-inch Proleur; reg. $4.50 ..... $4.00
42-inch Whipcord; reg. $2.00 ..... $1.75
40-inch Silk and Wool Poplin; reg. $2. .. $1.75
46-inch Armure; reg. $2.25 ..... $2.00
48-inch Serge; reg. $2.25 ..... $2.00
58-inch Twill Suiting; reg. $4.00 ..... $3.00

(Woolens; Second Floor)

The New Golf Suitings

In bold, daring large plaids, are here in a dozen different combinations; any one of which is quite the newest effect that can be purchased for sports apparel.

The materials are cotton, the width 36 inches, and the price extremely reasonable (with cottons soaring as they are) at, yard 75c

Handsome Viyella Flannels

Made in England; and it is altogether likely that this large assortment, just arrived this week, is the last that we can expect for some time.

These famous unshrinkable flannels are the favorite of every woman who knows how they wear, and how effectively they make up into practical garments; and the price remains the same; yard $1.25

(Dress Cottons; Second Floor)

Save on Needed Notions Now

Pearl Slides — assorted sizes; card 25c

OMO Dress Shields—here at, pair ..... 20c to $1.25

Seamless Sanitary Napkins; 3 to box; three for 25c

Cedarwax Dust Cloths 25c each; six for $1.25

Hat Linings—adjustable; black or white 25c

Darning Cotton—45-yd. lengths; two for 5c

Violet Pins—card of six, special 6c

Pearl Buttons—for underwear; assorted sizes; card at 10c

Hickory Hose Supporters 15c, 17c, 19c, 21c, 23c pair

35c Children's Waist and Hose Supporters 25c

Scalloped Edging — assorted colors and white; special, yard 5c

Pins — with black and white heads; card 5c

Hairpin Cabinets—including jet and bronze 5c to 25c

Hairbow Fasteners ... 5c

A Demonstrator—from the OMO Shield factory is here now to show you how to get the best satisfaction out of your dress shields; the service is complimentary. (Notions; Main Floor)

Pretty Blanket Robes

Good-looking and warm bathrobes in attractive colors and patterns; the mannish tailored models or the sorts with ribbon and silk trimmings, prices start at ... $4.50

Better ones at higher prices, too.

(Third Floor)

Coulter's—Seventh Street at Olive

Seventh Street at Olive—Coulter's

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Stocks and Bonds.

TWO PACIFIC STATEMENTS LIFT MARKET OUT OF RUT.

Wall Street Movement in Rails Stimulated by Earnings Shown.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Railroad shares lifted today's dull market out of its early rut, the first half of the session reflecting considerable price irregularity, notably in industrials, equipments and specialties.

The movement in rails was stimulated by the relatively favorable December statements of the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific roads, both showing net gains and the re-establishment of Union Pacific to its former ten per cent. dividend rate.

Extreme gains in almost a score of transportation issues extended from 1 to 4 points, St. Paul common and preferred and other grangers, as well as coalers, sharing honors with Pacifics. Canadian Pacific was the only laggard, though recovering much of its loss at the end.

Other features of pronounced strength included Atlantic Gulf, Semaira Tobacco and General Electric, but these were neutralized by the heaviness of the motor division, oil, Industrial Alcohol and Texas People's Gas.

United States steel yielded a point under pressure of the forenoon, but closed at a fractional advance, with Allied equipments.

Sales amounted to 400,000 shares.

International bonds were steady, domestic issues showing more variable tendencies. Liberty first 4's made a new minimum at 96.04, the second 4's and 3½'s holding firm. Total sales, par value, $4,280,000.

United States bonds, old issues, were unchanged on call.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Foreign exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.75.30	4.76 7-16
Paris	5.72	5.70
Hongkong	72.00	72.25
Petkin	110.50	110.75
Shanghai	166.00	166.50
Greece	19.40	19.45
Holland	43.53½	44.12½
Bombay	35.00	35.50
Calcutta	35.00	35.50
Italy	5.64¼	5.64¾
Kobe	51.50	51.65
Yokohama	51.50	51.65
Manila	49.87½	50.00
Russia	10.00	10.05
Peckfolu	32.37½	32.37½
Constantinople	30.12½	30.87½
Christiania	21.50	22.00

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Mercantile paper, 5¼@6%. Sterling, sixty-day bills, 4.72; commercial, sixty-day bills on banks, 4.71½; commercial, sixty-day bills, 4.71¼; demand, 4.75 5-16; cables, 4.76 7-16. Bar silver, 90¾. Mexican dollars, 68. Government and railroad bonds irregular. Time loans firm; sixty days, ninety days and six months, 5@6 per cent. Call money easy; high, 6; low, 5½; ruling rate, 5½; closing bid, 5; offered at 6%; last loan, 6%.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low sporadics today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
100	Alaska Gold	6¾	6¾	6¾	7
24,100	Am. Beet Sug.	113¾	112¾	113¾	114
100	Am. Can	47	47	47	47¼
100	Am. Can. pfd.	113	113	113	113½
2,400	Am. Car & Fdy.	112	110¾	111¾	112
1,100	Am. Cot. Oil	57	56¾	57	57¼
2,400	Am. Ice Sec.	37¾	37	37¾	38
8,000	Am. Linseed	41¾	40¾	41¾	42
100	Am. Linseed pfd.	85	85	85	86
100	Am. Locomo.	63¾	63¾	63¾	64
.....	Do. pfd.	99	99	99	99½
100	Am. Smelting	85	85	85	85¼
.....	Do. pfd.	105	105	105	106
100	Am. Steel Fdy.	59¾	59¾	59¾	60
100	Am. Sugar	115	115	115	115½
100	Am. Tel. & Tel.	103¾	103¾	103¾	104
.....	Am. Tobacco	84	84	84	84½
.....	Do. pfd.	90	90	90	90½
1,000	Am. Woolen	81¾	81¾	81¾	82
100	Anaconda	39¾	39¾	39¾	40
100	Atchison	100¾	100¾	100¾	101
.....	Do. pfd.	94	94	94	94½
100	Atlantic Gulf	30	30	30	30½
100	Baldwin Loco.	84¾	84¾	84¾	85
100	Baltimore & O.	69¾	69¾	69¾	70
.....	Do. pfd.	80	80	80	80½
100	Beth. Steel B	80	80	80	80½
100	Brooklyn R. T.	91	91	91	91½
100	Butte & Sup.	30	30	30	30½
100	Calif. Petro.	19¾	19¾	19¾	20
.....	Do. pfd.	68	68	68	68½
100	Canadian Pac.	144¾	144¾	144¾	145
100	Cent. Leather	84¾	84¾	84¾	85
.....	Do. pfd.	108	108	108	108½
100	Chesapeake & O.	66¾	66¾	66¾	67
100	C., M. & St. P.	46¾	46¾	46¾	47
.....	Do. pfd.	68	68	68	68½
100	C. R. I. & P.	23¾	23¾	23¾	24
.....	Do. pfd.	39	39	39	39½
100	C. R. I. & P. Ry.	12¾	12¾	12¾	13
.....	Do. pfd.	24	24	24	24½
100	Chino Copper	46¾	46¾	46¾	47
100	C. C. C. & St. L.	70	70	70	70½
100	Colo. Fuel & Iron	39¾	39¾	39¾	40
100	Colo. & So.	30¾	30¾	30¾	31
100	Consolidated Gas	131¾	131¾	131¾	132
100	Corn Products	23¾	23¾	23¾	24
.....	Do. pfd.	85	85	85	85½
100	Crucible Steel	71¾	71¾	71¾	72
100	Cuba Cane Sug.	31¾	31¾	31¾	32
.....	Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
100	Cuba Cane Sug. rts.	1	1	1	1 1-16
100	Cuba Cane Sug. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
100	Cuba Cane Sug. pfd

MUTT AND JEFF—The Question is, Did Jeff Try to be Sarcastic? . . . By BUD FISHER.

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Oranges and Lemons.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

	Oranges	Lemons
February 13		
Total to date this season	3,607	859
Total to same date last season	3,839	1,481
CENTRAL CALIFORNIA.		
February 13	1	0
Total to date this season	1,887	102
Total to same date last season	4,000	146
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.		
Total to date this season	203	0
Total to same date last season	242	2

NEW YORK MARKET.
[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Nine cars sold; three cars Valencias sold. Market steady on medium and small sizes, lower on large. Weather cold.

NAVELS—	Avgs.	NAVELS—	Avgs.	NAVELS—	Avgs.	SEEDLINGS—	Avgs.
Whittier, STR	$4.40	Redlands, CCR	3.60	Redlands, CCR	3.10	Redlands, CCR	4.30
Pitzer, STR	4.00	Santa Paula, CCR	4.00	Upland, Wright, CCR	3.10	JAFFAS—	Avgs.
Santa Ana, CCR	4.00	Whittier, CCR	4.00	VALENCIAS—	Avgs.	Golden Beach	3.40
Big Four, CCR	3.30	Alhambra, CCR	3.30	Pomona, Meyer	3.90	LEMONS—	Avgs.
Redlands, CCR	4.00	Alhambra, CCR	3.30	Redlands, CCR	3.10	Redlands, CCR	4.30
Glen Alma, ACCR	4.00	Big Mtn., CCR	3.60	La Verne, CCR	3.60	Santa Paula	4.70
Glen Rosa, ACCR	3.90	Golden Eagle, CCR	4.15	Hill, CCR	2.75		
Rancho, CCR	4.00	Golden Sheaf	4.00	Golden Gate, CCR	3.20		
Cardinal, CCR	3.80			Golden Beaver, CCR	2.30		

BOSTON MARKET.
[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Four cars sold. Market is easier on oranges.

NAVELS—	Avgs.	NAVELS—	Avgs.	BLOOD—	Avgs.	LEMONS—	Avgs.
Balch Heights, LEM	$3.90	Trail, ACCR	4.20	Highest Sizes (Bulk)	3.75	Trail, ACCR	3.25
Laurel, CCR	4.00	Trail, ACCR	4.25	Limes	3.75	Canyon	3.25
Pomona, CCR	4.00	Canyon, ACCR	4.00			Redwinding	3.50
Lodi, CCR	3.70						

Serious.

MAN HELD AS PERJURER IN AUTO ACCIDENT CASE.

GEORGE BAUER, a driver for a local van and storage company, was bound over to the Superior Court on a charge of perjury by Justice Hanby yesterday. Bail was fixed at $1000.

The perjury charge grew out of a collision, on December 27, between a big van driven by Bauer and a motorcycle ridden by Joseph Jarvis, as a result of which the latter was seriously injured.

Bauer was returning to Los Angeles from Venice when the accident happened at Washington and Western streets. He was arrested and acquitted by a jury of the charge of reckless driving, then rearrested and charged with failing to stop and render assistance to young Jarvis. He was found guilty and sentenced to a fine of $100 or 100 days in jail.

Bauer testified at his examination that he had no knowledge of having collided with anybody and that he was accompanied on the trip from Venice, not by his regular helper, but a stranger of whom he could tell nothing. It developed, however, that the regular helper, E. A. Grosse, accompanied Bauer. Grosse testified in court that Bauer had requested him to say he had remained behind in Venice the night of the accident.

Other witnesses said that Bauer speeded up after the collision, driving his huge van twenty-five miles an hour along Washington street, turning off into Sixteenth street, tearing along that thoroughfare a mile, then returning to Washington street in order to throw followers off the track. Young Jarvis, who drove the motorcycle is a son of Police Sergeant C. H. Jarvis.

It is understood that Jarvis has instituted civil proceedings against the storage company as an outcome of the accident.

standing and less friction in nearly all phases of living, economically, politically and socially, and if religion is worth anything and God is all powerful, as we preach, religiously we shall have such a spread of unity that creeds and dogmas and sectarianisms will be swept away and we shall have men and women loving God and doing good to their fellowmen in the fullest spiritual sense.

DR. H. WARREN NICE.
No. 417 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

RED CROSS AFFAIRS

Announcements have been made as follows by the management of the Red Cross Shops and Tea Room:

Bargains may be had in all departments of the Red Cross Shops at Eighth and Alvarado streets, to make room for the new stock for the spring opening.

A volunteer scissors grinder is wanted to go over the top at the Red Cross Shops. The trench knives are getting dull and the Red Cross can't keep up its "scissors drive" without a sharpener.

Monday's rummage sale and auction netted $550. That will help save many a soldier over there.

Get out your last summer's clothes and bring them to the Red Cross Shops to be remodeled into 1918 styles. If you find you do not want them made over, the shops will be glad to sell them to help win the war.

You may register at the Red Cross headquarters at Tenth and Main streets for new classes in first aid and home nursing.

Is Official Factory.

From the Canadian border to the Gulf, and from Pennsylvania to the Pacific, the Los Angeles Red Cross Shops are supplying them with clothes. This is the official factory for Red Cross uniforms, and orders are being received and filled from all quarters of the nation. This uniform was designed by Mrs. Hancock Banning, and as shops are started in the various cities the Los Angeles institution is called on to furnish its workers with appropriate attire. Orders have recently been received from Easton, Pa., Tacoma, Wash., San Diego, Redlands and Riverside. These uniforms are supplied by the Los Angeles shops at cost price, without profit.

A Gala Affair.

Out at Eighth and Alvarado streets this afternoon Lieuts. Travis MacKenna and J. A. MacDonald will be the guest of honor, and will tell what they have seen and gone through in the trenches, and what the boys are doing over there.

These two Scotch officers, one of whom has been awarded the Victoria Cross, will be accompanied by the Scotch pipers in full uniform, who will play the favorite music of the Highlands. Capt. W. S. Shaw, who is in charge of British recruiting service in Southern California, also will be present.

Special attractions are contained in the vaudeville programme which is to be staged in the Red Cross Tea Room. Jan Rubini, the Swedish violinist now appearing at Pantages, will play many favorite selections from the operas, as well as the beautiful ballad, "I Hear You Calling Me." Harry Reichman, the Los Angeles favorite, will sing his latest songs, accompanying himself on the piano. Mr. Reichman also is appearing this week at Pantages as one of the headline attractions.

This afternoon at the Kinema Theater tea room, Monroe Salisbury will be the guest of honor, and tomorrow William Desmond and Mary McKeever will be present in like capacity.

NO CANNED "REGRETS."

A friend calls the attention of The Times to an amusing feature of the funny attack made by the Examiner on this newspaper last Tuesday morning. After exhausting all of its possibilities of coarse and ludicrous vituperation against The Times (to which the Examiner's subscribers have been flocking by thousands)—after accusing The Times of all the crimes it could think of, the Examiner said it "regrets to have to do it." Of course! The Examiner's editorials are nearly all canned editorials sent from New York; but this nasty one, the Examiner writers had to do themselves; we suppose they regretted being obliged to do the work—and they were evidently short of canned regrets as well as of native wit.

P. S.: The Times circulation is gaining at an unprecedented rate, the average being over 10,000 a day over last year.

More Examiner "regrets."

TO RESUME HEARINGS ON GAS RATE RAISE.

FAIL TO SECURE ADJUSTMENT OF SCHEDULE AT THE FIRST SESSION.

With the announcement that another hearing will be necessary, the Southern Counties Gas Company's rate adjustment inquiry before the State Railroad Commission was concluded yesterday afternoon. After the second hearing the commission will have sittings at Santa Monica, Long Beach and Santa Ana to cover the three gas districts involved in the company's request for permission to adjust rates. It will probably be three months before a decision is handed down.

In its petition for permission to adjust rates the gas company set forth that it is serving Orange County cities at 75 cents per 1000 cubic feet, while Sierra Madre pays $1.25 per 1000 feet. It claims that cost of production and distribution is responsible for this variation to some extent, but that a more even adjustment of rates would be better all around. The commission is asked to fix a set of rates for all the cities served by the company, but it refuses to do so, and asks the company to submit what it considers a reasonable schedule, as soon as possible.

F. S. Wade, superintendent of operation for the Southern Counties company, pointed out yesterday that the company has been doing its bit to win the war by saving fuel. He stated that the change from artificial to natural gas has resulted in the saving of hundreds of thousands of barrels of crude oil during the last year and that the consumers have had the benefit of a lower rate than appeals to artificial gas, while the crude oil has been available for other purposes.

TO POLICE SAWTELLE.

Chief of Police Butler yesterday made the long expected detail of uniformed men, to the newly-annexed Sawtelle district. A substation of the Los Angeles police department has been established in the City Hall at Sawtelle, and placed in charge of Police Sergt. Al McLane. Sergt. McLane will have six men under him to patrol the new territory. The detail is comprised of Officers C. A. Hoffman, James E. Boaz, James B. Peyton, M. A. Harris, John H. Rockoff and Fred Haver.

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Portals Of Infection

Drain-pipes which empty into cesspool or sewer, drains of kitchen-sink and toilet, bath and wash basin are open portals for the invasion of dangerous diseases.

Typhoid and other intestinal maladies, and all the ills incident to sewer gas, constantly menace the home where drains are not kept in a sanitary condition.

Germs multiply by millions in the nooks and elbows of these pipes, especially when the plumbing is old.

Lysol Disinfectant kills all disease germs. Use it in scrubbing water, sprinkle rugs with it (it cannot stain the colors); use it daily in sinks, toilets and cesspools; you will then make a better fight against disease than it can possibly make against you and yours.

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GUNS IN PLAY IN ROAD FEUD.

Barbed-wire Entanglements are Thrown Up.

Deputy Sheriffs Dispatched to Soledad Canyon.

Truce Patched up Pending Action in Court.

A feud of the old Kentucky sort came to light yesterday, when Deputy Sheriffs Modic and Hickok visited the Soledad Canyon, near Newhall, to settle long-standing differences between adjoining owners of government land grants. A truce was patched up between the belligerents, and weapons were put on the rack pending a settlement of the trouble by civil action in the courts.

The case went into the records of the Sheriff's office as a "road feud," in which was involved a family by the well-known Tennessee name of McCoy and Dalton Ferrel.

An old road leads through the Ferrel property to an ancient mining claim just above Kellog's ranch. Here also resides Mrs. W. Long, together with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. L. McCoy, and their families. The two women have plotted out mining claims in juxtaposition to their homes.

A few days ago Ferrel, maintaining that the road trespassed his property, formed a barricade by erecting a barbed wire fence, thus preventing the Longs and the McCoys from gaining access from the county road to their property, and stopping the bringing in of provender for their cattle.

According to the Sheriff's office, a long-standing feud was immediately under way again and some small arms artillery was brought into play. As a result of this, Mrs. Long was fined $5 or five days in the County Jail. She paid the fine.

When officials from the Sheriff's office, accompanied by Constable Scisco of Newhall, visited the scene yesterday, Ferrel agreed to remove the obstruction and await a settlement of the trouble through the courts.

The Longs and McCoys contend that for the last five years they have had unobstructed passage through the Ferrel property by means of the road in question, and that, therefore, Ferrel has no further right, under the law, to prohibit trespass.

FREE SEEDS FOR SCHOOL BOYS.

City Council may Appropriate Necessary Money to Buy Them.

Two thousand dollars will be appropriated by the City Council to purchase garden seed for school boys who are studying agriculture, if the recommendation of the Public Welfare Committee is approved.

The committee yesterday decided that it would be good policy to encourage the boys to cultivate the ground, and will recommend that the seeds be distributed by the agricultural department of the schools.

CHALLENGES SAWTELLE COURT JURISDICTION.

ATTORNEY SEEKS RELEASE ON WARRANT ISSUED BY JUSTICE SHANNON.

Holding that the legal prerogatives as Justice of the Peace of Sawtelle have by the city's annexation to Los Angeles been relegated to the archives of the "alleged," and that he is thus "without jurisdiction, territorially or personally," Charles Britton ("Habeas Corpus") Ladd, an attorney, has applied to the Superior Court for an alternate writ of prohibition to stop Justice Shannon from proceeding further in a misdemeanor case pending against him.

The writ is returnable before Judge McCormick this morning, and a strong array of opposing counsel, it is said, will be on hand when the case is called.

Mr. Ladd contends that the city of Sawtelle ceased to exist after May 4, 1917, and was further shuffled into the infinite azure of past political history on January 22, 1918, when Secretary of State Jordan issued a certificate to the effect that Sawtelle was a part of Los Angeles.

The alleged case of misdemeanor was the outcome of a complaint filed February 5, 1918 in Los Angeles by Hattie Farnham Williams, charging Ladd with breach of the peace. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Ladd by Justice Shannon of Sawtelle.

HURT TURNING OVER IN BED.

While turning over in bed yesterday, Mrs. J. S. Penman, of No. 1251 South Flower street, dislocated her left shoulder, and after tottering to the floor fainted with the pain. She was found by friends, who rushed her to the Receiving Hospital, where the dislocation was reduced.

Limit of Meanness.

STEAL HER PINK SILK TROUSSEAU

Perfectly Horrid Thief Takes Bride's Garments.

More than Eighty Pieces, All Made by Herself.

Maybe if Mr. Burglar Sees this He'll Return 'Em.

Somewhere in the underworld of Southern California there is a riot of pink silk bridal garments. Miss Ruth L. Maxson, of No. 44 Alamitos avenue, Long Beach, reported to the police yesterday that burglars had entered her home and had stolen

her trousseau, made up entirely of pink silk garments, even to—to—well, never you mind.

The thieves entered her home through the back door by cutting the screen and then jimmying the rear door. Then they ransacked the entire house, stealing a watch and other valuables from Miss Maxson's brother, and also considerable clothing from a sister, Miss Alva M. Maxson.

The trousseau, which Miss Ruth had been preparing for the last year, was entirely hand-made and consisted of more than eighty garments. Included in it were a bridal veil, a wedding dress, with all the

trimmings, a dozen different kinds of garments, including—oh, various things.

Miss Maxson tearfully told the police yesterday that her trousseau, the clothing of her sister and the watch and valuables of her brother were valued at more than $600.

"I don't know what I'll do now," said the bride-to-be, "my trousseau is gone and I don't suppose that it will ever be found again. I worked so hard on some of the things and many of them were finished with pink silk lace that I had made myself. Maybe, if the thief had known what pleasure I derived in making those things, and how much joy they meant to me he wouldn't have taken them."

SOCIOLOGIST WILL GIVE COURSES HERE.

One of the foremost sociologists of the United States, Dr. George E. Howard, head of the department of political science and sociology, University of Nebraska, has been added to the faculty of the American Sociological Society summer sessions. Dr. Howard was president of the American Sociological Society during the year 1917.

Dr. Howard's best-known work is the "History of Matrimonial Institutions," the standard work in this field. He was head of the department of history at Stanford University from 1891 to 1901. In the summer session he will offer two courses, one on "Problems in Social Psychology and Ethics," including a discussion of mob-mind, fashion, custom, conventionality and other results of suggestion-imitation, as well as the psychology of the drama, and theories of potential race-equality and potential genius, and the other in "Biography of American Statesmanship."

SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Aged Woman may Die as a Result of Being Struck by a Street Car.

Mrs. Sarah Johnston, 81 years old, of No. 1022 West Twenty-second street, was probably fatally injured yesterday afternoon when she stepped in front of a street car at Thompson and Twenty-third streets and was struck and knocked down. She sustained a depressed fracture of the skull and fractures of her right shoulder blade, right wrist, right thigh and right ankle. Mrs. Johnston was rushed to the Receiving Hospital, where she was given emergency treatment by Police Surgeon Conerty. She was later removed to the California Hospital. Mrs. Johnston has a son, D. E. Plank, superintendent of the maintenance department of the Pacific Electric Railway.

WOOLWINE LEAVES ON CAMPAIGN TRIP.

District-Attorney Woolwine, accompanied by Mrs. Woolwine, departed yesterday for a tour of northern California in connection with his campaign for the Democratic nomination for Governor. He plans to be away three weeks or a month.

While Mr. Woolwine does not expect to make many speeches on the trip devoting most of his time to "getting acquainted" he will deliver an address before the Iroquois Club in San Francisco on Washington's birthday.

Mrs. Woolwine, who is a sister of Mary Foy, the well known leader among Democratic women, will enter into the campaign with as much enthusiasm as her husband. She is expected to meet as many women's clubs as possible and may address some of them.

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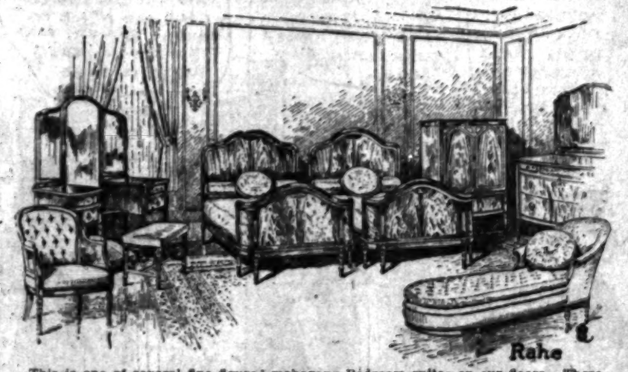

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Youth has no Resemblance to Infant Exhibit.

Young Woman Fails in Suit for Babe's Support.

Five of Her Own Sex Find Against Her.

"People's offer—exhibit A; afor identification, one baby."

While the lusty yowls of a four-months'-old infant penetrated the courtroom of Judge McCormick yesterday afternoon, the mother sat on the witness stand in an attempt to prove that a 19-year-old youth was the father of the child.

With her testimony concluded, the young mother was requested by the court, a sympathetic listener, to display the infant before five women and seven men, comprising the jury. To meet the best needs of the case, the women jurors were seated in the front row. The alleged father was ordered to stand up for the jury to decide whether a resemblance existed between himself and the child.

Ralph Delgado, employed by a local telegraph company, was the young man in question and the charge against him, filed by Felipe Terran, was that of omitting to provide for his child. Ralph Delgado, Jr., since November 21, 1917. He was declared not guilty in a quick verdict returned by the jury.

Delgado, his mother and two sisters, denied the paternity of the child on the witness stand, the women declaring that Miss Terran told them a man who is now in San Francisco was the father.

Mrs. Delgado testified that she came from Mexico about four years ago, bringing with her Miss Terran, who resided with the family in this city. It developed during the testimony that Miss Terran left the Delgado family to go to the County Hospital, where the child was born.

The women jurors in the case were: Miss Henrietta C. Scheffel, Mrs. Laura R. Llelerthal, Mrs. Amy P. Bliss, Mrs. Mary H. Day and Mrs. Rose C. Bryant. The case was the first of its kind ever submitted to a mixed jury here.

APHASIA PLEA FAILS TO SAVE AUTO THIEF.

MAN WHO COULDN'T REMEMBER FOUND GUILTY BY COURT.

John Middaugh told Judge McCormick yesterday that at Bakersfield he suddenly emerged from a state of aphasia and found himself in possession of a handsome large automobile. How he managed to pilot the machine over the Tehachepi to the plains of the San Joaquin he could not explain.

"It was this way, your honor," he said. "I came to in some city which I afterward found out to be Bakersfield. The car was out of gasoline and I visited a garage.

"The garage man asked me where I got the automobile. 'I don't know any more than you do where I got it,' I replied. I told him I awoke in it and that something must have happened which brought a gasoline car into my life."

"Do you remember reaching Saugus?" he was asked by the court.

"I have a faint recollection that I passed through Saugus, though I can't tell whether I was afoot or on horseback."

"How soon was this after you left Los Angeles?"

"About five hours, Your Honor," Middaugh replied.

"That will do," frowned the court.

Middaugh was declared guilty, application for probation was denied him and he will be sentenced tomorrow. The machine was the property of H. W. Chesebro of this city.

AGAIN GOES OVER.

Failure to notify the defendant in time resulted in another continuance, yesterday, in the case against Danu Sleeth, former newspaper editor, who is charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated. The continuance is until Monday. The case has been hanging fire for some time, while the lawyers argued over technicalities involved in the drawing of the complaint.

NEW PROJECT FOR HARBOR.

Immigration Station is Urged by Japanese Steamship Men.

An immigration station at Los Angeles Harbor was urged yesterday by representatives of Japanese ship owners, before the Harbor Commission. Ken Kanda, passenger agent for the Toyo Kisen Kaisha Ship Company, and Yoshio Tsutsumi made a personal inspection of the harbor and told the commission that the location is well suited for an immigration station.

President Gordon of the commission said that serious consideration will be given the proposition of the Japanese. He said if Los Angeles desired to build up a big foreign commerce, it must establish an immigration station and he believes that the wishes of the Japanese should be carefully considered.

NO MAGIC IN THIS.

Wife of Illusionist Loses Suit to Collect from Animal Trainer Under Alimony Agreement.

When, some time ago, the alternative was thrust upon him of staying in jail or signing an agreement to pay his wife a certain sum of money as alimony, Louis Roth, former animal trainer for the Al G. Barnes Show Company, signed the paper and then arose another alternative, for Al G. Barnes indorsed the agreement.

Because of this indorsement Mr. Barnes's corporation was made a defendant, with Mr. Roth, in a suit brought by Mrs. Mercedes Barnes, who is now Mrs. Hadji le Cheriff, wife of a magician. Mrs. Le Cheriff sought to recover $750 under the agreement. But previously the show company had been dissolved as a corporation.

The case was tried recently by Judge Shenk and yesterday he gave judgment against Mrs. Le Cheriff on the ground that the agreement was signed under duress. As to Mr. Barnes, it was held that Mrs. Le Cheriff had failed to make the trustees of the dissolved corporation parties to the action. Another point shown was that Mrs. Le Cheriff had written Mr. Roth directing him not to send any more money to her attorneys in Portland, where the arrest had taken place.

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EW YORK, Feb. 15.—William L. the United Brotherhood of Carpent ught that he was powerless to or to work and enforce such an orde He asserted, however, that it was h to work and trust to the governme ding grievances."

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BALTIMORE, Feb. 15.—Per dress to address the striking ay carpenters was refused by s not today to Rev. Charles Sims of New York, who is ding the shipyards of the ard, in behalf of the Shipping ard, asking patriotic ad- ress to the workers. Dr. ms was told if he wanted to make a speech "to go to shington and make it."

Dr. Sims went to the strik- ng meeting hall to appeal to m to induce them to re- rn to work pending a settle- ent of their grievances.

Unless they return to work at once, striking carpenters and joiners eligible for the aft will be called into mili- ry service, they having auto- atically forfeited exemption m their action in quitting em- loy on a war industry. Draft boards were or- ered today by the district

THE DAY'S NEWSSU

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THERN CALIFORNIA. Con- ed murderer of 14-year-old boy ed to be hanged for his ay order at Santa Ana. April set for execution.

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ort from Washington says that ors and Harbors Committee mmend an appropriation for ing of an inner passage to Los Angeles and Long harbors.

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